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IN MEMORIAM.
(1914-1918.)

**BULL**—In loving memory of Brigadier-General George Bull, D.S.O. (1st Royal Irish Fusiliers), who died of wounds in France on December 16th, 1916, the third and last surviving son of Mr. R. G. Bull, Resident Magistrate, Newry, aged 39 years.

## BIRTHS.

**HARVEY**—November 23, 1934, to Pearl, wife of David Harvey, Brook Lawn, Donore avenue, a daughter.

**LOVE**—December 11, 1934, at Denmark House, Leeson street, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Love, a son.

**MACARTNEY FILGATE**—November 24, 1934, at the Cottage Hospital, Drogheda, to Aphra and Dermot Macartney Filgate, a daughter.

**McCAUGHEY**—December 1, 1934, at Ferozepore, India, to Norah, wife of Captain F. G. McCaughey, 1st Battalion 2nd Punjab Regiment, a daughter.

**PICK**—November 18, 1934, to Violet (née Forbes), wife of Robert H. Pick, 70 Springdale Blod., Toronto, a son.

## DEATHS.

**BROOKS**—December 13, 1934, very suddenly, Alan Carew, dearly-loved youngest son of Clive and Kathleen Brooks, Ashfield, Rathfarnham.

**FIELD**—December 14, 1934, at her residence, Dunfillan, Dunville avenue, Maria, widow of the late Richard Field. Funeral private.

**GREENE**—December 14, 1934, at Renmore, Old Ballincollig road, Cork, Daphne Beatrice, aged 2½ years, darling daughter of Wilson and Minnie Greene. "Suffer little children to come unto Me." Funeral arriving at Hollywood at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday).

**HARRISON**—November 26, 1934, at Newcastle Hospital, Newcastle, South Africa, after a short illness, Richard Thornton Hamilton Harrison, eldest son of the late B. St. George Harrison, of Carrick-on-Shannon, and of Mrs. Harrison, 94 Pembroke road, Dublin. "At rest."

**HEMSWORTH**—December 14, 1934, at his residence, 14 Bushey Park road, William De La Warr Hemsworth, dearly beloved husband of Harriet Hemsworth. Very deeply regretted. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request.

**IRELAND**—December 5, 1934, at Gwynne, Alberta, Canada, Alfred, younger brother of the late F. C. Vincent Ireland, of 19 Mespil road, Dublin.

**KELLY**—December 14, 1934, at Victoria Line, Sligo, Anne, daughter of the late Edward Kelly. Requiem Mass at Sligo Cathedral, 10 o'clock, this (Saturday) morning. Funeral 3 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday).

**MATTHEWS**—November 27, 1934, at the residence of her son (Dr. John Sextus Matthews, Richmond, Natal), Annie Matilda, relict of Rev. Samuel Matthews, formerly of Wicklow, aged 79.

**O'FARRELL**—December 14, 1934, at the Parochial House, Athboy, the Rev. Matthew O'Farrell, P.P. R.I.P. Requiem Office and High Mass in St. James's Church, Athboy, at 11 o'clock this (Saturday) morning. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) at 2 o'clock.

**OSBORNE**—December 14, 1934, at her residence, Ballynocken House, Blessington, Marjorie, dearly beloved wife of James A. Osborne, aged 29 years. R.I.P. Her remains will be removed this (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock to Valleymount Church. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) at 3 p.m. to Baltyboys Cemetery.

**PIKE**—December 14, 1934, at the Rectory, Thurles, County Tipperary, Rev. William Pike, M.A., Precentor of Cashel Cathedral. "For ever with the Lord." Burial Service on Monday morning at 11 o'clock in Thurles Church, and thence to Littleton.

**READE**—December 14, 1934, at his residence, "Clonmore," Lisburn, James Stewart Reade. Funeral private.

**RYAN**—December 14, 1934, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Bridget, dearly-beloved wife of John Ryan, 2 St. John's Villas, Limerick. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and children. R.I.P. Funeral to Glasnevin Cemetery, after 10 o'clock Mass at St. Francis Xavier's, Gardiner street, on Monday morning, 17th December. No flowers, Masses instead.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found on Page 8.**

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

**Mr W. J. Bowesman** and family desire to return sincere thanks to the many kind friends who, by personal calls, letters, telegrams, and a profusion of floral tributes, sympathised with them in their recent heavy bereavement. They trust this will be accepted by all as a grateful acknowledgment, as it is impossible to reply individually.

**FOSTER**—The parents, brother, and sister of the late Annie Foster wish to thank all friends and relations who, by personal call, letters of sympathy, wreaths, and floral tributes, sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

## IN MEMORIAM.

**BAIRD**—In loving memory of our beloved mother, Mary Baird, who died on the 16th December, 1931. "Peace, perfect peace."

**BURNETT**—In ever-loving memory of Sarah Burnett, who passed away at her residence, Cornamuckin, Moyvore, on December 15th, 1933. Inserted by her loving husband and children.

**COX**—In ever-loving memory of our dear father, John Cox, who departed this life on 15th December, 1931; also our dear mother, Elizabeth Cox, who departed this life on 9th April, 1932. Ever remembered by their loving children. "Peace, perfect peace."

**DOWNES**—In memory of Edward Downes, 2 Hawkins street, who passed away at his residence, 3 Hollybrook road, Clontarf, on 15th December, 1933. "There shall be no more pain."

**HOWLEY FOLEY**—In loving memory of mother, Elizabeth Howley Foley, who fell asleep on 16th December, 1933. "Peace, perfect peace."—Violet.

**ROSS**—In dearest memory of mamma, who was called Home on December 15th, 1932, at Ramsey's Hotel, Sligo.

**SHELLARD**—In affectionate remembrance of Kathleen, who died on 15th December, 1931.—Harry.

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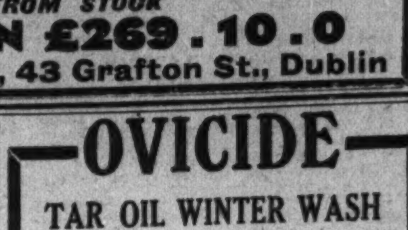
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BRAY—Furnished Hall Flat, also Unfurnished Flat, select locality. Apply Miss Hurst, 1 Eglinton road.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

1114/1934.
SAORSTAT EIREANN
CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE.
CIRCUIT NO. 2 CORK CITY AND COUNTY.
In the Matter of
THE COURTS OF JUSTICE ACT, 1924;
In the Matter of
THE LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT, 1931,
SECTION 59.
And in the Matter of an Application of
DIGBY JOHN WEST AND ANOTHER.
Whereas on the 22nd day of October, 1934, the above-named Applicants applied to the Court for liberty to sell certain premises situate at Wolfe Tone street, formerly Fair lane, and Gerald Griffin avenue, formerly Peacock lane, in the City of Cork, held by them under an Indenture of Lease dated 21st March, 1669, made between Anthony Stowell of the one part and Thomas Mills of the other part, for the term of 1,000 years from the 29th September, 1668, at the yearly rent of £77 15s. 8d., notwithstanding the prohibition or restriction to the contrary effect in said Lease contained on the ground that the rent reserved by said Lease had not been paid for over 100 years, and that the Lessor was not known to, nor could not be found by, the Lessees or their Agents.
It was thereby ordered that any person having any interest in the Lessor's interest in said Lease shall, if he objects to said Order being made, lodge in the Office of the County Registrar, situate at the Court House, in the City of Cork, on or before the 15th day of January, 1935, a notice of his objection specifying the grounds for same. All objections (if any) shall be listed for consideration before the Circuit Judge, at the Sittings of the Court at Cork, on the 23rd day of January, 1935.
Dated this 4th day of December, 1934.
DANIEL M. J. O'CONNELL, County Registrar.

PURSUANT TO THE TRUSTEE ACT, 1925.
ELIZABETH TIMMINS, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim or demand against the Estate of the late Elizabeth Timmins, of Rosebank, Avoca, County Wicklow, Ireland, who died on the 19th day of April, 1934, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 5th day of November, 1934, by the Executors therein named, are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned before the 20th day of February, 1935, after which date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Estate of the said Deceased to the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 14th day of December, 1934.
E. R. HOSKINSON, 327/8 Tower Building, 22 Water street, Liverpool, Service," 15 Leinster street (Nassau street), Dublin. 'Phone 61897. X

## APPEALS.

REMEMBER THE POOR.
"I was hungry and you gave Me to eat."
The Little Flower Guild, Meath street, Dublin, appeals for your help. We provide each week over 5,000 meals for the poor and unemployed of the city.
We appeal to lovers of God's poor, to lovers of the Little Flower, our Patroness, for help. The smallest contribution will be gratefully acknowledged.
Our address is—
THE GUILD OF THE LITTLE FLOWER,
11 MEATH STREET, DUBLIN.
Rev. Patrick J. Vaughan, C.C., Director.

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THE AASLEAGH ORPHANAGE
Lovers of poor Children, with former Friends and Subscribers, are earnestly asked to remember the needs of the AASLEAGH ORPHANAGE at this season.
THEY ARE MANY AND URGENT.
"He that hath pity on the poor lendeth unto the Lord."
Gifts of Clothing and Contributions will be gratefully acknowledged by—
THE SECRETARY,
5A Townsend street, Dublin.

THE SISTERS OF CHARITY, UPPER GARDINER STREET, DUBLIN,
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The Poverty which at present prevails can be realised only by those who visit these poor homes.
AS Christmas approaches, THE SISTERS EARNESTLY SOLICIT ALMS, CONTRIBUTIONS OF WEARING APPAREL, BED COVERING, ETC., which will find their way to the really deserving poor.

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63 NORTH WALL.
As our custom is for many years past, we provide Christmas Dinner and a Grand Concert-Entertainment for the Seamen in Port away from Home and Friends on Christmas Day. (4 till 10.30 p.m.).
If you are Interested in the Sailors,
WILL YOU HELP US?
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FOR THE POOR.
The Sisters of Charity, Seville place, Dublin, make an Appeal to the Charitable Public for a share in their Christmas Gifts to enable them to provide plentiful Christmas Dinners for the Poor.
The Prayers of the Community are offered daily for all Benefactors.

ROYAL VICTORIA EYE AND EAR HOSPITAL,
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CHRISTMAS APPEAL.
ALL CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED BY THE REGISTRAR.

CHRISTMAS APPEAL OF OUR LADY'S HOSPICE FOR THE DYING,
HAROLD'S CROSS, DUBLIN.
The Sisters of Charity earnestly solicit your help towards the upkeep of the Hospice, which was founded in 1879, and has since been such a boon to the Poor of Dublin. It is supported by Voluntary Contributions. Please send YOURS this Christmas to the Rev. Mother Superior at above address.

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PLEASE HELP US TO BRIGHTEN CHEERLESS HOMES.
PLEASE HELP US TO BRING JOY TO THE OLD AND DESTITUTE POOR.
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PLEASE HELP US TO HELP THE DESTITUTE.

THE MISSIONS TO SEAMEN.
DUBLIN SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.
12, 13, 14 EDEN QUAY.
The Committee respectfully urge the public who value the Seamen's work and sympathise with their absence from home and friends at Christmastide to send Gifts of Money, Provisions and Woollen Comforts for the Christmas Entertainment of the Seamen and Stewardesses.
All contributions should be sent to the above address, and will be gratefully acknowledged by the undermentioned.
E. LEATHLEY, Lay Reader-in-Charge.
W. M. CARTE, Secretary and Treasurer.

STRANGERS' FRIEND SOCIETY.
FOUNDED 1790.
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This Society is one of the oldest charities in the City. Its Funds are distributed to the deserving poor and distressed strangers in Dublin and suburbs, without religious distinction. Grants were made during 1933 in nearly 1,000 cases.
SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE MOST URGENTLY NEEDED.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
JOHN MURPHY, late of "Marieville," Appian Way, Dublin, formerly of the Commercial Hall, Doneraile, in the County of Cork, Retired Merchant, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 54, that the above-named, by his Will dated 4th November, 1930, bequeathed the following charitable legacy—that is to say:
£100 to Rev. Father Devlin or the Superior for the time being of the Carmelite Priory, Whitefriar street, Dublin, for Masses for the repose of the soul of Testator, and the souls of his father, mother, wife, brothers and son.
The said Testator died on 20th September, 1934, and probate of his said Will (with one codicil thereto) was, on the 19th November, 1934, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, to the Rev. James Patrick Murphy, of The Presbytery, Alton, Hants, Parish Priest; the Rev. Brother P. J. Hennessy, of Marino, Dublin, lately Superior General of the Christian Brothers, and the National City Bank, Limited, 10 College Green, Dublin, the Executors named in said Will.
Dated this 12th day of December, 1934.
J. D. HOLLINGER, Solicitor for said Executors, 13 Molesworth street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests in Saorstát Eireann and all others concerned.

BELFAST ADVERTISERS.
Advertisements for next day's issue are received at our Branch Office, 13 Donegall Street, up to 5.0 p.m.
Telephone—Belfast 1787
Solicitor for the Executors.

## PUBLIC NOTICES.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS.
NOTICE.
PATRICKSWELL/CHARLEVILLE BRANCH.
TAKE NOTICE that on and after the 31st day of December, 1934, the Company intends to cease running Passenger Trains (including Mixed Trains) on the above Section of its System and to substitute therefor Passenger Road Services as under:—

WEEK-DAYS.

| | | a.m. | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Limerick | dep. | 8.30 | 11.00 | 2.30 | 5.15 | 7.15 | 9.00 |
| Croom | | 9.00 | 11.30 | 3.00 | 5.45 | 7.45 | 9.30 |
| Bruree | | 9.17 | 11.47 | 3.17 | 6. 2 | 8. 2 | 9.47 |
| Charleville | | 9.30 | 12.00 | 3.30 | 6.15 | 8.15 | 10.00 |
| Buttevant | | 9.55 | 12.25 | 3.55 | 6.40 | 8.40 | |
| Mallow | | 10.15 | 12.45 | 4.15 | 7.00 | 9.00 | |
| Cork | arr. | 11.15 | 1.45 | 5.15 | 8.00 | 10.00 | |

| | | a.m. | a.m. | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. |
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| Cork | dep. | | 8.30 | 10.30 | 1.30 | 3.30 | 6.30 |
| Mallow | | | 9.30 | 11.30 | 2.30 | 4.30 | 7.30 |
| Buttevant | | | 9.50 | 11.50 | 2.50 | 4.50 | 7.50 |
| Charleville | | 8.30 | 10.15 | 12.15 | 3.15 | 5.15 | 8.15 |
| Bruree | | 8.45 | 10.28 | 12.28 | 3.28 | 5.28 | 8.28 |
| Croom | | 9. 8 | 10.45 | 12.45 | 3.45 | 5.45 | 8.45 |
| Limerick | arr. | 9.45 | 11.15 | 1.15 | 4.15 | 6.15 | 9.15 |

SUNDAYS.

| | | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Limerick | dep. | 9.30 | 3.00 | 8.00 | |
| Croom | | 10.00 | 3.30 | 8.30 | |
| Bruree | | 10.17 | 3.47 | 8.47 | |
| Charleville | | 10.35 | 4.00 | 9.00 | |
| Buttevant | | 10.55 | 4.25 | 9.25 | |
| Mallow | | 11.15 | 4.45 | 9.45 | 11.00 |
| Cork | arr. | 12.00 | 5.30 | 10.45 | 12.00 |

| | | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. |
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| Cork | dep. | 9.30 | 2.00 | 8.00 | 10.00 |
| Mallow | | 10.25 | 3.00 | 9.00 | 11.00 |
| Buttevant | | 10.45 | 3.25 | 9.25 | |
| Charleville | | 11. 5 | 3.45 | 9.45 | |
| Bruree | | 11.18 | 3.58 | 9.58 | |
| Croom | | 11.35 | 4.15 | 10.15 | |
| Limerick | arr. | 12.00 | 4.45 | 10.45 | |

MERCHANDISE TRAFFIC WILL BE DEALT WITH AS USUAL, AND A TRAIN FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF SUCH TRAFFIC WILL RUN EACH WAY ON WEEK-DAYS ON THE BRANCH.
DATED THIS SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1934.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin. W. H. MORTON, General Manager.

COUNTY DUBLIN COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE.
INSTRUCTOR IN POULTRY-KEEPING AND BUTTER-MAKING REQUIRED.
The County Dublin Committee of Agriculture, pursuant to Section 5 (1) of the Local Authorities (Officers and Employees) Act, 1926, invite applications for the above position from persons who are legally qualified to be appointed, that is to say, pensionable or pensioned officers of Local Authorities, the duties of whose office relate to or have related to matters the same as or similar to the matters to which the duties of the above-mentioned office relate.
Rate of remuneration, as laid down for Instructors in Poultry-keeping and Butter-making in the Committees of Agriculture (Salaries of Officers) Regulations, 1933, and the Department's circular letter of the 1st August, 1933, No. E.13353/33, relative thereto, subject to the provision that the Committee intend to exercise their powers under Paragraph 3 of these regulations in connection with this appointment, and that the person appointed, if serving as an Instructor in another county, will suffer no reduction in salary by being transferred to County Dublin.
Applicants for the position must state fully their qualifications, the position at present held or that has been occupied by the applicant, period of service, superannuation allowance (if any), date of birth, and the county of which applicant is a native.
Applications must reach the undersigned not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 29th December, 1934.
T. WARD, Secretary.
1 Cavendish Row, Dublin.

DUBLIN BATTALION GIRLS' BRIGADE.
ANNUAL DEMONSTRATION,
OLYMPIA THEATRE, DAME STREET,
TO-DAY (SATURDAY), DEC. 15, at 2.45 p.m.
Chairman—Mrs. E. H. LEWIS-CROSBY.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.
14th DUBLIN COMPANY (ST. GEORGE'S), ANNUAL CHURCH PARADE in the PARISH CHURCH TO-MORROW (SUNDAY). 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 7 p.m., Parade Service. Preacher, Rev. R. H. Dowse, B.A. Music by Company Brass Band.

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## CHURCH NOTICES.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), DECEMBER 16th,
COLLECTIONS FOR HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND.
Preacher, 16 and 11.30, THE VICAR.
7 p.m.—REV. CHARLES DOWSE, St. John's, Monkstown.

BRIGHTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.
SERVICES 11.30 AND 7.
11.30—Rev. W. H. MASSEY.
7.0—Rev. R. LEE COLE, M.A., B.D.
SPECIAL CAROL SERVICE.
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METROPOLITAN HALL
(CITY OF DUBLIN Y.M.C.A.).
RETURN VISIT OF THE
COLOURED QUINTETTE
FROM CLEVELAND, OHIO, U.S.A.,
LED BY
REV. JOHN THOMAS
(WELSH REVIVALIST).
MEETINGS:
This Evening at 8 p.m. To-morrow at 4 p.m., and 8.30 p.m. Gospel Meeting.
ALL WELCOME.
5 to 6 p.m.—MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.
Leader: The General Secretary. Subject: "The Unveiling of the Cross: Through the Cross to Glory."
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ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

The monthly meeting of the Committee of Management of the Royal Hospital for Incurables was held at the Hospital on Thursday morning, 13th inst., at 9.30 o'clock, Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C., Chairman, presiding. Also present:—Patrick J. Brady, Esq. (Vice-Chairman), Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P. (Hon. Treasurer), James F. Boydell, Esq.; Alderman J. Hubbard Clark, Edwin N. Edwards, Esq.; W. N. Fry, Esq.; Gage S. Green, Esq.; Sir Joseph A. Glynn, LL.D.; Frank A. Lowe, Esq., P.C.; Henry J. Monahan, Esq., B.L.; Arthur H. S. Orpen, Esq.; P. M. Rath, Esq.; Richard Ryan, Esq.; Raymond Stephenson, Esq.; Joseph Walker, Esq., L.D.S.I.; Major Arthur Whewell.

The proceedings of the last meeting of the Committee were read, confirmed and signed. Apologies for non-attendance were received from F. Lambert Barrett, Esq.; Alfred T. Collins, Esq.; Very Rev. Monsignor Molony, LL.D.; William Montgomery, Esq.; R. G. Tomlinson, Esq. Before proceeding with the business of the day the Chairman made sympathetic reference to the recent demise of Dean Dunne, and the following resolution was passed in silence, all present standing:—

"The Committee of Management of the Royal Hospital for Incurables record with deep sorrow the passing of their good friend, Right Rev. Monsignor J. J. Dunne, P.P., V.G., who was a member of this Committee for 17 years. During this period the late Dean endeared himself to all his colleagues by his never failing kindness and helpful advice, and on his resignation through ill-health a few years ago he was greatly missed. The Committee extend their sincere sympathy to Miss Dunne in the loss of her distinguished brother."

The proceedings of the Visiting and Finance Committees were read, confirmed and signed. On the recommendation of the Finance Committee cheques amounting to £455 10/7 were signed in settlement of monthly accounts, leaving the large sum of

£9,228 13/6 DUE TO THE BANK.

The Registrar laid on the table a list of the Managing Committee arranged in accordance with the by-laws, the names of the members retiring next month having been announced previously.

The Chairman reported that the annual sale of patients' work held on 22nd and 23rd November had been very successful. The total sales amounted to £90 13/2, and the tea room receipts to £23 13/-; 775 articles were disposed of, and 52 patients participated in the distribution. The result was noted with pleasure by the Committee, and a sincere vote of thanks was passed to the ladies, who so kindly helped at the various stalls and in the tea room with such excellent results. The sale was opened by Lady Maureen Brabazon, who wrote as follows in the Visitors' Book:—"It gave me great pleasure to open the sale to-day. I was very impressed by the high standard of work shown. I wish this hospital the best of luck in the future."

In accordance with notice of motion, it was proposed by Sir Joseph A. Glynn, LL.D., and seconded by Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq. (Hon. Treasurer):—"That Robert Dunphy, Esq., be co-opted a member of this Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Ambrose Aliaga Kelly, Esq."

Read and signed Lady Superintendent's report and Resident Medical Officer's report. Patients in the hospital this day:—242, viz., 101 males, 141 females.

The Committee tender their grateful thanks for the following kind contributions received since last meeting:—£10—Mrs. J. J. Gaily. £7—Mrs. Edgar White. £5 5/- each—Wicklow Hotel Co., Ltd.; Messrs. Edward Lee and Co., Ltd.; Right Hon. Earl of Meath. £5 each—E. J. Beaumont Nesbitt, Esq., H.M.L., O.B.E.; Mrs. Carrigan, Miss May J. Murphy, "E. S. P.," Messrs. Arnott and Co., Ltd.; H. McInnally, Esq.; Miss M. Caulfield. £4—"J. N. G." £3 3/0—Messrs. Bewley, Sons and Co., Ltd. £2 10/0—A. E. D. Stephens, Esq.; "In Memory of D. McD. G." £2 2/- each—Dublin Jewish Hospital and Medical Aid Society, Richard Jones, "In Memory of Mrs. Nannette L. Jones," A. G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P.; P. J. Brady, Esq.; Simpson's Hospital, J. W. Lane, Esq. £2—Mrs. Laurence Malone. £1 5/—Staff of T. Mason, Esq. (Collection). £1 1/- each—Miss Hollinshead, C. J. Hyder, Esq.; G. F. Wallers, Esq.; Miss K. Sullivan, H. J. Millar, Esq.; Very Rev. Mons. D. T. Molony, LL.D.; Miss Keene, "Anon." Miss Catherine Smith, Miss Olive A. W. Drew, Mrs. M. L. Jones, "In Memory of Her Brother, John J. Thompson," Mrs. M. Legat; Mrs. W. K. Rogerson, Miss S. Ormsby, Messrs. Weir and Son. £1 each—Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss W. M. E. Seeds, Mrs. Otway Johnson, Mrs. T. A. O'Farrell, Miss Lily Atkinson, Mrs. Hermanni, "A Grateful Patient," Messrs. Walter Brown and Co., Ltd.; Miss Holmes, Mrs. A. R. Ormsby, Mrs. Dobbs, "A Grateful Patient," Mrs. Blair-White, T. P. Le Fanu, Esq.; R. H. Bell, Esq.; Miss le Close, Mrs. Thunder, Mrs. M. H. Newcombe, Lt.-Col. S. W. Blacker, "Anon. X." (per Rev. Canon Denton Green), "A Grateful Patient," Miss Fuller. 10/6—Edward G. Cary, Esq. 10/- each—"A Grateful Patient," Messrs. J. W. Elvery and Co., Ltd.; Miss Gwynn, "A Grateful Patient," Mrs. FitzGerald. Smaller sums, 12/6.

The Lady Superintendent acknowledges, with many thanks, the following kind gifts:—Cakes—Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. E. S. Lee, Mrs. A. T. Lee, Mrs. F. E. Jones, Mrs. Casey, Miss Boland, Miss Redington Roche, Miss Sweetman, Mrs. Wisdom Hely, Mrs. F. R. Ridgeway, Mrs. Woodward, Miss King-Harman, Miss Angela O'Connor, Mrs. R. Stephenson, P. J. Brady, Esq.; Gage S. Green, Esq.; Miss Mooney, Miss E. B. Mooney, Mrs. Hall, Miss McGrath, Messrs. Bewley's, Ltd.; Mrs. E. N. Edwards. Flowers—Miss Henshaw, Miss Redington Roche, Messrs. Ramsay's, the Dublin Nursery Co., Messrs. Watson and Sons, Mrs. Jesse, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. R. W. Pringle. Confectionery and Flour—Messrs. Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien; Messrs. J. E. Mills, Ltd. Apples—Messrs. Lightfoot and Sons. Chickens—Messrs. McCabe's, Ltd. Tea, Coffee, Biscuits, Sugar—Messrs. R. Smyth and Sons. Cakes, Biscuits, Butter—Mr. John Sheil. Milk—Messrs. Craigie Bros. Clothing—W. Findlater, Esq., M.A. Concert, Sweets, Cigarettes and Tobacco—Association of St. Nicholas. Flowers—Mrs. Madden. Concert, Cigarettes, Sweets and Grapes—Social Club of Irish Shell, Ltd. Sweets—The Misses Pounden. Illustrated Papers, Magazines, etc.—W. Findlater, Esq., M.A.; Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. L'Estrange, Miss Lily Atkinson, Miss Holmes, Mrs. Wisdom Hely. Daily Papers—Mrs. Arthur H. S. Orpen, Mrs. J. E. Tomlinson, Mrs. J. D. McLauchlan, Miss Redington Roche, Miss Jacob, Miss Roche; "Irish Times," one copy; "Irish Independent," two copies; "Weekly Irish Catholic," two copies; "Daily Sketch," "Anon."; "Irish Press," one copy; "Evening Mail," two copies weekly.

Further contributions are earnestly solicited to reduce the hospital's heavy bank debt (£9,228 13/6), and will be gratefully received by:—Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C. (Chairman), Balnagowan, Palmerston Park, Dublin; Patrick J. Brady, Esq. (Vice-Chairman), Glena, Booterstown, County Dublin; Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P. (Hon. Treasurer), The Haven, Palmerston Gardens, Dublin; or by the Registrar at the hospital.

# RELIEF OF RATES ON AGRICULTURAL LAND

## THE BEGINNING OF A NEW SYSTEM

## MINISTER'S WARNING TO CERTAIN LAND-HOLDERS

THE Dail began a long sitting yesterday morning with the second reading of the Rates on Agricultural Land (Relief) Bill, after the Opposition had made a strong protest against the decision of the Government to sit until midnight, if necessary, to complete the Committee stage of the Citizenship Bill.

The grant under the Relief of Rates Bill for the current year will be nearly two million pounds, and, in his explanation of the measure, the Minister (Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly) stated that it was the beginning of a new system, adding a word of advice to landholders of the higher valuations as to the wisdom of noting the fact that the day of unconditional relief of rates on land was at an end.

The Government, the Minister added, would not countenance the growing practice of taking on casual labour during the busy season and dispensing with it during the slack season.

The House afterwards completed the Committee stage of the Imposition of Duties Bill.

## PROTEST BY THE OPPOSITION

At the opening of the Dail at 10.30 yesterday, the Vice-President of the Executive Council (Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly) moved that the House sit, if necessary, until 12 midnight, and that public business be not interrupted by private deputies' business at noon.

Mr. COSGRAVE (U.I., Cork City) asked what was the need for haste in connection with the Citizenship Bill. Was anyone going to suffer by reason of the bill not passing before the session ended? At the end of the session the Government was suffering from a serious attack of constipation of bills, and, accordingly, the House was to be kept sitting until 12 midnight without notice. There had been marked evidence on the part of the President of the Executive Council and the Ministers for Finance and Industry and Commerce of their not knowing the measures they had introduced, and being unable to put before the House facts which the House ought to get. In face of such a hopeless exhibition as the President had given on the Citizenship Bill, the Government was asking the House to sit late to help them out of their difficulties.

Mr. O'KELLY said he had never heard Deputy Cosgrave talk such nonsense. He denied that any "want of knowledge" had been shown by Ministers concerning bills. The Citizenship Bill was necessary and urgent. On account of changes which had been made, the Agricultural Rates Relief Bill, which should have been before the House months ago, had been held up to permit of local authorities preparing necessary data. The Government proposed that the following measures should pass through all stages before Christmas:—The Citizenship Bill, the Agricultural Rates Relief Bill, the Imposition of Duties Bill, and certain supplementary estimates.

Mr. COSGRAVE spoke of the "lucidity and eloquence" of the Vice-President's explanation of the urgency and importance of the measures.

### CHARGE OF MISMANAGEMENT

Mr. MacDERMOT (U.I., Roscommon) said the House was being asked to sit for 13½ hours that day. It was admitted on all sides that the Citizenship Bill was important, and he thought this measure should be dealt with under circumstances which would permit of the most careful and reasonable consideration. If it was so urgent, why had the Government waited three years before introducing it?

"The business of this session has been conducted in a positively farcical manner," continued Mr. MacDermot. "It is the result of the Government's mismanagement that we have got into this 'jam' at the end of the session. The Government should not ask the House to scramble through this business in the midnight hours."

Mr. MULCAHY (U.I., Dublin, N.) protested that this is simply trampling on the Dail as an institution. There are private deputies' motions which have been down for months.

Mr. DILLON (U.I., Donegal) said the Vice-President's motion was the usual Fianna Fail version of the closure. Fianna Fail loved to wrap the mantle of sanctimonious rectitude about them, and then stab someone from behind the pall.

"The President spoke about wanting help from all parties on the Citizenship Bill," continued Mr. Dillon. "He said he wanted all deputies to take an interest in it, and that there would be the fullest discussion and the most open mind about it." Yesterday the President floundered about like a sea-lion that had got into a bog," continued Mr. Dillon. "After he had been hauled out by the Opposition two or three times, he decided that the stress on his spine was too great, and the closure motion is produced to let him flounder through the rest of the bill without much correction.

"The Citizenship Bill was brought in by the Government for the purpose of wrapping the green flag round them, embracing Kathleen ni Houlihan, and conciliating the I.R.A."

When he had heard of the effect that the Citizenship Bill was going to have on Deputy MacDermot's nationality, he had asked himself what effect it would have on President de Valera's.

Mr. SEAN T. O'KELLY, Vice-President, said that, having listened to Mr. Dillon's remarks, he said to him that if he got nasty retorts in the House no man deserved them more. With regard to his statement alleging the cloaking of discussion, he thought that 13½ hours was sufficient time for the deputy to express himself.

On a division, the motion to sit late was carried by 55 votes to 29.

## RELIEF OF RATES

### APPLICATION OF THE GRANT

Mr. SEAN T. O'KELLY, Minister for Local Government and Public Health, moved the second reading of the Rates on Agricultural Land (Relief) Bill, 1934. He said that the bill provided for the giving of legal effect to the decisions taken in the early part of the year with regard to the agricultural grant. The grant for the current financial year would be increased to a total of £1,070,000, or £220,000 more than last year, and would be applied to the relief of rates in a new way.

This year the grant would be £1,970,000, which was the highest figure it had ever reached, except in 1932-33, when the land purchase annuities were still at the old figure. While increasing the grant, however, a new method of giving relief had been adopted. Last year's rate of relief on the £10 valuation was being taken as the standard rate, and the bill provided that every occupier of land not exceeding £10 in valuation would, in the current year, get this rate of relief and occupiers of larger holdings would get an equal rate on the first £20 of their holdings. To extend the maximum rate of relief up to the £20 limit would cost, they estimated, an additional sum of £116,000, and part of the new money to be provided this year would go to meet this extra cost. In the bill the relief on the first £20 valuation was designated the primary allowances, and these, including urban district shares, would take £1,182,000 of the grant, and cover valuations amounting to £3,700,000.

### EMPLOYMENT ALLOWANCE

After the primary allowances had been given, there would remain the parts of the valuations above the first £20, and this part could get relief by way of employment allowance or supplementary allowance or both. The employment allowance was given where one or more men were at work on the holding in the nine months preceding December 31, 1933. Every occupier of land over £20 valuation was asked to make a claim to the allowance in respect of men at work on his holding, and the County Council received and admitted claims in respect of 130,000 men, somewhat more than half being employés and the remainder relatives of the occupiers. For each man employed an abatement of the rate was made at the primary allowance rate on a £12 10s. valuation, if the occupier had so much additional valuation. They estimated that the employment allowances would cost £386,000, of which £104,000 would come out of the additional £220,000 being provided this year. There would be then a balance of £400,000.

After the primary and employment allowances had been paid, the balance of the grant in every county would go to the relief of the part of the valuation which did not get any relief by way of employment or primary allowance. This balance would be applied in every county by way of supplementary allowance at an equal rate over the remaining valuations, which amounted to two millions. The supplementary rate of relief would be everywhere below the primary allowance rate. In most counties the difference was slightly over 2s.

They had not regarded the old basis of distribution as satisfactory, as it applied the grant in a blind, mechanical way, and every holder, large or small, whether he used his land in the way that gave maximum employment or gave no employment at all, whether rancher or "congest," got the same rate of relief without any conditions whatever. In the scheme in the bill they had combined two ideas—one to provide for occupiers of £20 holdings and under, and the first £20 of larger holdings the rate of relief which was allowed last year on the first £10; and the other to differentiate in the case of the larger holdings according to the extent to which the holdings afforded employment. In the first year, unless they were prepared to revolutionise the whole system of the relief of rates on agricultural land, they had to content themselves with the gesture that would indicate the path they intended to pursue.

### A WARNING

The bill, said the Minister, was the beginning of a new system—but only the beginning—and landholders of the higher valuations who were not making proper use of their land would be well advised to take note of the fact that the day of unconditional relief of rates on land was at an end.

They could not overlook the necessity for constant employment for the agricultural labourer, and give countenance to a practice which he was told was growing of taking on casual labour during the busy season, and dispensing with it during the slack season. Each county was allotted a sum equal to last year's share of the grant, and credited with the payments that they were bound to make to certain urban districts. The County Councils would pay the urban districts in receipt of the agricultural grants, first a sum equal to what they paid them last year, and in addition, whatever might be necessary to bring the rate of relief on the first £20 in the urban districts up to the county relief rate.

### URBAN FARMERS

The problem presented by these urban farmers was not quite so simple as it might appear. The point for consideration was, whether there was a case for placing land in the 39 urban districts that did not now receive any part of the grant on a par with similar land in rural areas. Land in towns had a higher valuation, due partly to proximity to markets. If they gave further relief to land in towns it would enhance the value of the land.

In some of the boroughs and urban districts—Dun Laoghaire, for instance—it would be hard to justify further relief to agricultural land. It was proposed to continue the system by which an abatement of rates might be given, partly by means of credit notes.

The Bill was a temporary one, and the Dail would have an opportunity of considering a permanent measure, which he hoped they would be able to present early next year.

### LOCAL BODIES' FINANCES

Mr. R. MULCAHY (U.I., Dublin N.) said that the Minister had not said a word about the financial condition of local public bodies and of the people of the country as a whole. Neither had he referred to the condition of the agricultural industry, nor to the fact that the wages to agricultural labourers in the last couple of years had fallen calamitously. Last year the Minister was vigorous in his appeals to local bodies to stand up to their responsibilities, and vigorous in his threatening of them; to-day the situation was infinitely worse, but the Minister had nothing to say with regard to it.

On account of outstanding rates, the Minister abolished the local bodies in Kilkenny, Waterford, South Tipperary and Leix. Commissioners were sent down, with instructions to take "most active steps" to collect these rates. What happened? In Waterford, in 1931, 47.9 per cent of rates were collected on September 30th; in 1932, the figure had dropped to 31 per cent.; in 1933, to 12 per cent. Then the Commissioner got to work; and as a result, on 30th September, 1934, 1.2 per cent. of the rate warrant had been collected. In South Tipperary, the appropriate figures, from 1931 to 1934, were 26.7, and (when the Commissioner had taken up his duties)—nil. In Kilkenny, the figures were:—1931, 29.5; 1932, 13; 1933, 6; and 1934, 0.1 per cent. The Commissioner collected, out of a total of £89,588, the amount of £46. The corresponding figures for Leix were:—1931, 23.4; 1932, 15; 1933, 11; 1934, 3.7 per cent.

### DAIRY FARMERS

The position of the dairy farmers was as bad, if not worse, as that of the farmers in other occupations. If the farmers could not dispose of their produce, how could they pay rates, the difficulty of paying which was not confined to the farmers? The relief should be extended to employers of women labourers.

Mr. BRENNAN (U.I., Roscommon) said that the responsibility lay upon the Minister for Local Government, and especially upon the Minister for Agriculture with regard to the main industry of the country, that when rates were not being paid they ought to endeavour to find out the reason for it, and remove the cause. There was no use in trying to bolster up the present state of things, and unless a solution were found for it there was very little hope for the future of the country.

### POSITION IN CLARE

Mr. J. M. DILLON (U.I., Donegal) said that the first county to show in its return that it was either unable or unwilling to pay a single penny of the rates was County Clare—"Dev's" stronghold, the cradle of Fianna Fail, the heart of Kathleen ni Houlihan, the banner county of no rates."

Mr. E. DONNELLY (F.F., Leix-Offaly)—And of "no rent" in the days of the plan of campaign.

Mr. DILLON—No rates; no rent; no nothing.

Mr. DONNELLY—And "no surrender."

Mr. DILLON—"No surrender," and Irish Republicans to the last ditch. Was the absence of the collection of rates in County Clare due to a Blue Shirt conspiracy? If it was, then let them look out for another constituency for Eamon de Valera. (Laughter.) The people of the country always paid their way if it was possible; but it was not possible for them to pay their rates in the present conditions which were brought about by the Fianna Fail Government.

Even with the Unemployment Assistance Act in operation, the outdoor relief figures were still rising. In 1931 the average weekly payment was £11,000; in 1932, £12,000; in 1933, £16,200; and the figure was greater to-day, though the new Act should have meant an enormous reduction. There had never been any serious difficulty in collecting rates until Fianna Fail came into office.

### MINISTER'S REPLY

#### RATES COMING IN

Concluding the debate, Mr. O'KELLY, the Minister, said that Deputy Dillon had made great play on the fact that on September 30 County Clare had been recorded as having no rates paid. The fact, he was sure, was that in the majority of cases the demand notes had not been issued on that date. The same applied to other counties. Generally, the rates had been paid to the extent of 45 per cent. down. He had no reason to say that he was dissatisfied with the majority of the counties in regard to the way they were doing their work as far as the collection of rates was concerned.

Continuing, he said that at one time resolutions had been passed by a certain political party advocating the non-payment of rates, but the leaders of that party realised that that was not a profitable game to play and encouraged the people to drop the campaign against rates, and now they were dropping the campaign against the payment of annuities because they found that it did not pay.

#### WOMEN IN INDUSTRY

In regard to the question of women labourers, he said that it was advisable that the Government should do all in its power to encourage the employment of men rather than women in every industry. There had been talk of destitution and starvation in the country, but he had not heard of any such cases since the present Government came into office, although there had been reported such cases during the previous Administration.

Mr. MULCAHY—Where?

Mr. O'KELLY—In Cork.

Mr. MULCAHY—I defy the Minister to refer to the reports in his own department of the case in Adrigoole.

Mr. O'KELLY said that people had died of starvation at the time of the last Government. There was a situation that required the close consideration of the Government, as there was in every country affected by the heavy fall in agricultural prices. In proportion to their resources they had done a great deal.

If more money could be made available to help agriculturalists over their difficulties, it would be put at their disposal. Everything possible was being done to help them over the existing hard time.

The second reading of the bill passed without a division, and the Committee stage was fixed for Tuesday next.

The Local Government (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1934, passed through its final stages.

## IMPOSITION OF DUTIES

### THE RIGHTS OF MINORITIES

On the resumption of the Committee stage of the Imposition of Duties (Confirmation of Orders) (No. 2) Bill, 1934, the debate was resumed on an amendment by Mr. R. Mulcahy (U.I., Dublin N.) to delete from the bill the duty on imported razor blades of 5s. per gross.

On a division the amendment was lost by 41 votes to 21.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to exempt certain agricultural implements, including hay-forks and the component parts thereof from the emergency duty of 50 per cent. *ad valorem*.

Mr. LEMASS said that the manufacture of the articles in question had been undertaken in Galway, and there would be no lowering either of price or of quality.

Mr. DILLON said that they were going to provide a wage of £2 a week for the operatives of the Galway firm, at the expense of the agricultural community.

Mr. MULCAHY, complaining of the lack of information afforded by the Minister, said that Mr. Lemass had produced a sheaf of Emergency Orders to the House and simply said "Pass these."

Mr. EAMON DONNELLY (F.F., Leix-Offaly) said there were thirteen amendments tabled—eleven by Deputy Mulcahy and two by Deputy Dillon. He suggested this was pure obstruction. The only way to deal with the duties in the circumstances was to "bludgeon them through."

"Minorities," he added, "have no rights whatever. We got none when we were in Opposition."

Mr. Lemass turned and said something to Mr. Donnelly.

The amendment was defeated by 39 votes to 22.

Mr. MULCAHY moved a similar amendment dealing with automatic sale machines, which are subject to a duty of 30 per cent.

The amendment was lost by 39 votes to 23.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to delete from the bill the emergency duty of 33 1-3 per cent. on all imported empty tanks, cisterns, drums, barrels and kegs, made wholly or mainly of iron or steel, or a combination of both, of a certain capacity.

Mr. LEMASS said that the manufacture of articles of this nature on a mass production scale had been undertaken in Dublin by a very well-known firm.

The amendment was defeated by 38 to 22 votes.

#### FILM LAMPS

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to delete the duty of 75 per cent. on electric filament lamps of not more than 300 watts.

Mr. LEMASS said that up to now the normal requirements of these lamps were being imported free of duty under licence. There would be no increase in price. It was anticipated that the new factory would come into production early in the new year, and the duties would operate simultaneously.

The amendment was defeated by 38 votes to 22.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment seeking to remove the duty of 5s. in the £ on all extracts and essences prepared and derived from animals.

The amendment was defeated by 40 votes to 23

#### ROPES AND CORDS

An amendment was moved by Mr. MULCAHY to remove the duty of 40 per cent. of the value of the article on rope, cord, twine, and linen and cotton thread.

Mr. LEMASS said that the duty on cords, cables, ropes and twines had been in operation for some time, and the effect of the order was to extend it to linen and cotton threads. Factories for the manufacture of these threads were being constructed, and it was intended that each should provide the whole requirements of the country.

The amendment was withdrawn.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to remove the recently imposed Excise duty of 2s. 4d. on sugar. He said that the Government were taking an extra £735,000 per annum out of the pockets of the people for sugar. Now, without any review of the position, they were asked to make that a permanent imposition under the guise of an Emergency Imposition of Duties Order.

Mr. COSGRAVE said that only 50,000 out of the anticipated 80,000 tons would be produced by the four sugar factories. What, therefore, was the need for additional protection?

Mr. MacENTEE said the total revenue derived from tea and sugar this year would be about £200,000 less than the Government's predecessors derived from sugar alone in the financial year 1931-32. In addition, the Government had four factories turning out 85 per cent. of the Saorstat's sugar requirements.

The amendment was lost.

The Report stage was passed, and the Committee stage fixed for next Tuesday

## HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND

The following returns for collections made during Hospital Sunday have been received:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lusk, Kenure and Lambay | 13 | 10 | 0 |
| Chapel of the Magdalen Asylum, Lr. Leeson street | 9 | 4 | 2 |
| Dunlavin Church | 7 | 3 | 6 |
| Stradbally, Corclone and Ballintubbert | 6 | 0 | 6 |
| United Parishes of Blessington and Kilbride | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Northumberland Hall, Kingstown | 5 | 10 | 7 |
| St. Mary's, Newtownbarry | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Ballycommon and Killaderry (Philipstown) | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Hollywood and Ballymore-Eustace | 1 | 12 | 0 |
| Drumconrath and Syddan Churches | 1 | 7 | 0 |

The President of the Polish Republic, M. Moscicki, yesterday entertained to luncheon the retiring British Ambassador, Sir William Erskine, and Lady Erskine and their daughters.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### SEATING IN CINEMAS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—For the next few days one of our leading cinemas present a special programme suitable for children—something that has long been awaited and, now, at Christmas-time, most appropriate. The experiment will, no doubt, show not only that there is a real demand for such programmes, but that they would—if provided regularly—solve the problem of the admission of children to over-sophisticated or unsuitable pictures.

May I, through your columns, call the attention of adults—many of whom will with or without the kiddies attend these shows—to the seating of the children, so that they may have a clear view and fully enjoy the pictures, by sitting as far as possible before or behind other adults where seats are available.

We are inclined at times, whether from lack of thought or imagination, to consider only our own comfort. A little thought would, however, suggest such a choice. And, if such seats are not available, the manner of sitting so as to present as small a figure as possible to those seated behind—a slight change in the shoulder position may help a child to a clear view.

These are matters in which the management, most considerate and courteous as they are, cannot help. I have at pantomime performances seen small private parties arrange themselves as I have suggested, and the gesture was in each case appreciated as a lesson in politeness.—Yours, etc. C.P.P.

Sydney Parade, Dublin, December 14th, 1934.

### "GOD'S SOLDIER: GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I shall be glad if you will kindly permit me to correct two bad errors in my book, "God's Soldier: General William Booth," for which I have no one but myself to blame. Under the portrait of the General's mother, in the first volume, I have put the caption, "Emma Moss." This ought to be "Mary Moss." A graver mistake occurs on pages 808-9-10 of the second volume, where the month of Booth's death and burial is given as "October." It ought to be "August." These errors are being corrected in future issues of the book, but I am anxious that all who now possess it should not be misled through my fault.—Yours, etc., ST JOHN ERVINE.

Honey Ditches, Seaton, Devon, December 13th, 1934.

### SUBSCRIPTIONS AND APPEALS

#### CHRISTMAS APPEAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I, once again, use your columns to make an appeal on behalf of the Poor Fund of the Trinity College Mission. This Fund is entirely dependent upon the support of those who give voluntarily. Mission workers, after 22 years' experience of the district, have a real knowledge of deserving cases; assistance is not given out wholesale, but personally and privately, and to homes which have been visited again and again. The money received from subscribers is not given out in cash, but in kind, as the particular need requires—in groceries, clothing, coal, medicine.

Every subscriber receives the annual report of the Mission work as a whole during the current year, as well as a personal receipt for the amount given.

There are no outside expenses in connection with the Poor Fund; every penny received goes in good value to a deserving home. Will you help, either by sending money or clothing (or in any way you can) to the Rev. P. A. G. Shepperd, head of the Mission, 19 Bootle street, Tennent street, Belfast?—Yours, etc., P. A. G. SHEPPERD.

19 Bootle street, Tennent street, Belfast, December 14th, 1934.

#### DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION (GEORGE'S HALL).

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Please grant us the hospitality of your columns to appeal to the charitable public on behalf of the poor, the aged, the destitute, the fatherless and the forgotten. We care for hundreds who live in miserable rooms and lodging-houses. Their Christmas will be cheerless and lonely unless we bring them joy and fellowship. We have planned an extensive programme of service. These are some of the things we mean to do:—

(1) Give a dinner to destitute, aged and poor, and suffering children on Christmas Day.

(2) Give a party to hundreds of poor women.

(3) Give a party to 350 children, with a Christmas tree and an entertainment.

(4) Send parcels of food and other comforts to needy families and to the sick and infirm.

(5) Distribute hundreds of bags of coal.

(6) Provide hot meals daily for those who have no home and for children who are ill-nourished.

(7) Keep our recreation hall and library heated and lighted during the winter evenings.

(8) Maintain a lady visitor to go to the homes where there is sickness, poverty and dirt, and bring comforts, friendship, hope and healing.

If you approve of this work, please send a subscription to the hon. treasurer, Mr. J. Robertson Coade, Bayswater Lodge, Sandycove, Co. Dublin, or to.—Yours, etc.,

(REV.) J. WESLEY MCKINNEY.

30 Adelaide road, Dublin, December 14th, 1934.

## IRISH TROUT FLY FISHERS

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The annual general meeting of the Irish Trout Fly Fishers' Competition Committee was held in the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, last night, when delegates from associations in all parts of Ireland attended. Commander H. Baker, R.N.V.R., presided.

The annual report was submitted by Mr. H. A. Lafferty, Hon. Secretary, who said that 23 associations were now affiliated with the Committee, and two others had promised their support. The National Angling Championship on Lough Corrib had been won by Dr. H. O'Carroll, and had been the largest angling competition for trout ever held in the British Isles.

In conjunction with the National Angling Association the Committee had organised the first national fly-casting competition held in Ireland, and the championship events for accuracy, wet-fly distance and dry-fly distance had been won by Commander Baker, Mr. Drew Barr and Mr. H. A. Lafferty, respectively. The interprovincial angling competition for teams of ten rods from the four provinces was held on the Lakes of Killarney, and was won by the Munster team.

The national championship was fixed for Lough Mask, County Mayo, on June 8, and the casting competition for June 9 at the same place.

In the event of the Committee deciding to hold an international competition in Ireland, it was stated that an influential Irish organisation would favourably consider the question of presenting a trophy for the event.

#### THE ELECTIONS

The election of the officers and members of the Committee for 1935 resulted as follows:—

Chairman—Commander H. Baker, R.N.V.R., Ballycastle, Co. Antrim. Hon. Secretary—H. A. Lafferty, Dublin. Hon. Treasurer—A. Flusk, Dublin.

Ulster—Captain A. D. Allen (Armagh), N. C. Hamilton (Bundoran), Drew Barr (Northern Fly Fishers, Belfast), T. T. Stubbs (Ballyshannon) and P. J. Flanagan (Fermanagh).

Munster—J. T. Manning (Cork), J. F. Ryan (Cork), J. Lynch (Macroom), J. McCarthy (Cork) and M. J. Rohan (Killarney).

Connaught—The Rev. T. H. McCullagh, C.C. (Oughterard), E. W. Carrette (Westport Anglers), J. Rice (Sligo), G. Ross (Gort) and G. McCormick (Sligo).

Leinster—Dr. J. F. Falvey (Dublin), Dr. C. Saunders (Dublin), J. H. Gibson (Mullingar), J. McCann (Dublin), and C. H. Caulfield (Dublin).

L. Gaffey, Hon. Secretary Irish Free State Anglers' Federation, and J. A. Barlow, B.A., J.P., Hon. Secretary Ulster Anglers' Federation, were re-elected as *ex-officio* members of the Committee.

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## HELP FOR THE DISTRESSED

### SOME CHRISTMAS APPEALS

### INSTITUTIONS THAT DESERVE HELP

TO those who have money to spend, brilliantly lighted and well stocked shops always make a special appeal at Christmas time. It is a time when gifts of various kinds are made as a token of goodwill, and shopkeepers set themselves out to meet the demand. It is also a time when the call of the needy and the sick is more compelling than usual. Because of that, charitable institutions of every kind make a special appeal to the generosity of the public. Without a ready response some of these institutions would be unable to carry on their valuable work effectively, and many of the poor would have a cheerless Christmas.

Seamen are always welcome at the Dublin Sailors' Rest (British Sailors' Society), 63 North Wall, Dublin, and to enable sailors in port to enjoy a happy Christmas a special entertainment has been arranged. In this connection, gifts of cash or provisions will be gratefully received by the Rev. J. S. Crockett, M.A., Hon. Secretary. Christmas carols and music will be followed by a festival dinner and tea and concert.

The Sisters of Charity, St. Mary Magdalen's, Donnybrook, Dublin, also ask to be remembered, and promise to pray for those who do not forget the needs of that institution.

### THE STRANGERS' FRIEND

One of the oldest charities in Dublin is the Strangers' Friend Society, 7 Eustace street. Founded in 1790, its funds are distributed to the deserving poor and distressed strangers in the city and suburbs. During the past year grants were made in nearly a thousand cases, and subscriptions are urgently needed.

The Dublin Seamen's Institute on Eden quay asks for the practical sympathy of the public with seamen absent from home at Christmastide. Contributions of money, provisions and woollen comforts for seamen and stewardesses will be gratefully acknowledged by the secretary and treasurer, Mr. W. M. Carte.

With the watchword, "Remember the poor," the Guild of the Little Flower, 11 Meath street, makes its Christmas appeal. This Guild provides over 5,000 meals each week for the poor and unemployed. Something more than usual is asked for now, but the Director of the Guild, the Rev. P. J. Vaughan, C.C., will be grateful for even the smallest contribution.

The Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Adelaide road, Dublin, carries on a work which should make a strong appeal to Christmas charity. Its aim is to preserve patients from blindness and deafness. Many thousands of people have had their eye and ear troubles successfully dealt with in this hospital, and the Registrar's appeal for funds now should not go unheeded.

The Sisters of Charity, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, ask for alms, old wearing apparel, bed-covering, etc., to meet the needs of the poor, whose sufferings they witness daily and endeavour to mitigate as far as the limited means at their disposal will permit. Only the deserving poor will benefit.

### FOR THE DYING

Our Lady's Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross, Dublin, has provided many people with a last resort in life under the care of the Sisters of Charity. Founded in 1879, this institution has been a great boon to the poor of Dublin. It is supported by voluntary contributions and there should be a ready response to the appeal now made by the Rev. Mother Superior.

Contributors towards the maintenance of St. Anthony's Penny Dinners for the Poor are assured of the prayers of the community by the Sisters of Charity, Seville place, Dublin. All they ask is a share in Christmas gifts to enable them to provide plentiful Christmas dinners for the poor.

Other institutions and charities which appeal for Christmas contributions are:—

Dublin Free Breakfasts, Christian Union Buildings, Lower Abbey street.

Myra and Ozanam Club, 53 Mountjoy square—food and clothes for the poor.

St. Mary's Asylum, High Park, Drumcondra.

Aasleagh Orphanage, 5a Townsend street, Dublin.

Dublin Central Mission, George's Hall, Dublin.

A military seaplane yesterday dropped three packages of food for the lighthouse staff, who have been marooned for eleven days in furious gales on the rocky Berlenga Island, seven miles off Peniche, on the Portuguese coast.

## MANSION HOUSE COAL FUND

### SUBSCRIPTIONS BIGGER

The Lord Mayor (Alderman A. Byrne, T.D.) presided at the annual meeting of the Mansion House Coal Fund last evening.

In his report for the year 1933-'34, Sir John Irwin, Hon. Secretary, after expressing the deep sense of the loss they had sustained by the deaths of the Rev. Dr. Denham Osborne and Mr. J. J. Nagle, both of whom had rendered valuable help in the good work, stated that the usual procedure had been adopted—namely, the making of a contract for the purchase of coal, and its delivery, a bag at a time, into the homes of the poor.

The Lord Mayor moved a vote of sympathy to the relatives of the Rev. Dr. Osborne and Mr. Nagle, which was passed, all present standing.

In moving the adoption of the report, the Lord Mayor said that this was the fortieth year of the existence of the fund. The list of subscriptions up to date for this year was the largest for many years past, which showed that the public had full confidence in the administration of the fund. There were no complaints as to the manner of the distribution of the coal, and that was because the fullest investigation was made as to its proper distribution. The coal was sent out not from the Mansion House, but by charitable institutions, to which it was alloted. These institutions had overseers who made sure that there was no overlapping and that there was no conflict with other systems of public relief. He appealed to the public to support this excellent charity.

The Very Rev. Canon Flanagan, P.P., seconded the motion for the adoption of the report, which was passed unanimously.

The Lord Mayor said that among the leading subscribers were His Grace Archbishop Byrne (£150) and Messrs. Arthur Guinness and Co. (£100), and that the total received up to date was over £600.

On the motion of Alderman Hubbard Clark, seconded by Mr. G. Dick, a resolution was passed that the fund was worthy of public support.

On the motion of Mr. M. A. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor, seconded by Sir John Irwin, a vote of thanks was passed to the Lord Mayor for having given the meeting the use of the Mansion House.

### SUBSCRIPTIONS.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| His Grace the Most Rev. Dr. E. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin | 150 | 0 | 0 |
| Arthur Guinness, Son and Co., Ltd. | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| Hibernian Bank, Ltd. | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Hon. A. E. Guinness | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| John Jameson and Son, Ltd. | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Hon. Mr. Justice Sullivan, K.C. | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Sir John P. Griffith, M.Inst.C.E. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Miss Tottenham, Ashford, Co. Wicklow | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Classon Porter, M.A. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Miss M. J. Cruice | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McCabes, Ltd., South City Markets | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Cefar Agencies | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Cassidy and Co., George's street and Fade street | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. Dobbs, Temple road | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| G. F. MacNamara | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Dermod O'Brien, P.R.H.A. | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| W. V. Harrel, C.B. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Maguire and Paterson, Ltd. | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Miss Jessie Ogilvy | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| E. N. Tweedy | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| J. and E. Davy, Westmoreland street | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Misses Radcliffe | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Switzer and Co., Ltd. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| John Player and Sons | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| W. D. and H. O. Wills | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| William Clarke and Son | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Mr. and Mrs. A.P. Spain | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Very Revs. the Carmelite Fathers, Whitefriar street | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| G. Dick, Inchicore road | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Henry Rooke, Clyde road | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Mrs. Palmer, Co. Leitrim | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| The Shelbourne Hotel, Ltd. | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| James F. Boydell | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| H. J. Monks, Clontarf | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. K. Rowe, Leeson Park | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Very Revs. the Augustinian Fathers, John's lane | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas J. Marron, Northumberland road | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. E. E. Carter, Northumberland road | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Miss Olive A. W. Brew, Bray | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Sir Frederick W. Moore | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Lady Frederick Moore | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| F. Morgan Mooney | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas J. Kavanagh, Harcourt street | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien, Ltd. | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| E. H. Bailey | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Miss Hughes, Monkstown | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| F. C. Earle Bland, Clyde road | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| McBirney and Co., Ltd. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Bolands, Ltd. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| New Ireland Assurance Co., Ltd. | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| William Montgomery, Suffolk street | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Mrs. O'Neill, 28 Fleet street | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| A. Newman, P.C | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| M. R. Lalor, Nassau street | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| James McMurrough, P.C. | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Mrs. Mulligan, Dartry road | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Edward Lee and Co., Ltd. | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamilton, Temple road | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Stanhope Kenny, Ballinrobe | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. O'Connell Fitzsimon | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pim Brothers, Ltd. | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| J. B. Crean, Palmerston road | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Joseph Downes and Son Ltd., North Earl street | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| J. R. O'Brien, Leeson Park | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| "Anonymous" | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Alderman J. Hubbard Clark | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Officers and Men, Garda Siochana, The Depot, Phoenix Park | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Miss Eustace, Glasnevin, per the Rev. J. C. Breakey | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Miss Megaw, London, per the Rev. J. C. Breakey | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Harrap | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| "Anonymous" Dublin | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Monument Creameries | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Eason and Son, Ltd. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| W. and A. Gilbey, Ltd. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| The Rev. P. J. Rafter C.C. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Louis Hatch | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Miss L'Estrange, Bray | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. K. O'Farrell, Lansdowne road | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Ferrier, Pollock, and Co., Ltd | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| McGrath Bros., Bachelor's Walk | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| L. and E. Egan, Ltd., Arran quay | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| B. Domigan and Co., Ltd. | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| "P. M." | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Peter M. Seales, Solicitor | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Miss Dorothy Hungerford | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| "J. G." | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| The Rev. W. J. McCreery, B.D. | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Percy E. Grey, Clontarf | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Right Honourable the Lord Mayor | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| "Winstanley Bequest" Dividends, per the City Treasurer | 13 | 2 | 4 |
| O'Connor and Treacey, Pimlico | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Thomas Dockrell Sons and Co., Ltd. | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Professor R. H. Graham | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| The Very Rev. Canon Flanagan, P.P. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Michael A. Corrigan | 1 | 1 | 0 |

## WEATHER FORECAST

*General Inference.—A very deep depression is centred off West Ireland. The weather will be generally unsettled.*

*North-West and North-East Ireland.—Fresh or strong south-east or south wind; cloudy; occasional rain; perhaps brighter intervals locally; mild.*

*South-East and South-West Ireland.—Fresh or strong south or south-west wind; cloudy; occasional rain; brighter intervals; locally mild.*

*Irish Sea.—Fresh or strong south-east or south wind; occasional rain; sea rough.*

*St. George's Channel.—Strong squally south or south-west wind; occasional rain; sea rough.*

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THE SUN.

| | To-day. | To-morrow. |
|---|---|---|
| Rises | 8.33 | 8.34 |
| Sets | 4. 7 | 4. 7 |
| Lighting-up Time | 4.37 | 4.37 |

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Morning | 6.31 | 7.35 |
| Evening | 6.59 | 8. 0 |

AT OTHER PORTS.

| | Morning. | Evening. |
|---|---|---|
| Belfast | 6. 7 | 6.15 |
| Cork | 12.21 | 12.49 |
| Drogheda | 6.19 | 6.37 |
| Dundalk | 6.16 | 6.34 |
| Galway | 12. 9 | 12.30 |
| Sligo | 12.47 | 1.14 |
| Waterford | 12.50 | 1.26 |
| Londonderry | 4. 1 | 4. 7 |

## TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

SPORT.

Rugby Football—Lansdowne v. University College (Cork), Lansdowne road, 2.30.

Association Football — Shamrock Rovers v. Bohemians, Milltown, 2.30.

Hockey—Final Leinster Trial, Londonbridge road, 2.30.

Cross-Country—Co. Dublin Novices' Championship, Phœnix Park, 3.0.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—Closed for Pantomime Rehearsals.

Olympia Theatre—"Beauties of the Night."

Abbey Theatre—"The Glittering Gate" and "The Canavans."

Gate Theatre—"The Drunkard."

Metropole Cinema—"The House of Rothschild."

Grafton Cinema—"Freedom of the Seas."

Corinthian Cinema—"The Great Flirtation" and "The Lone Cowboy."

Theatre De Luxe—"Million Dollar Ransom" and "Heaven Bound."

Grand Central Cinema—"Monte Carlo Nights."

Regal Rooms—Afternoon Tea Dance, 3 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.; Regal Rooms, Cinderella, 8 p.m. to 12.

Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"A Cup of Kindness."

Savoy Cinema—Christmas Matinée, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.; "Melody Cruise" and "Love on a Ladder" 3 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Capitol Cinema—"Journal of a Crime" and "Football Coach."

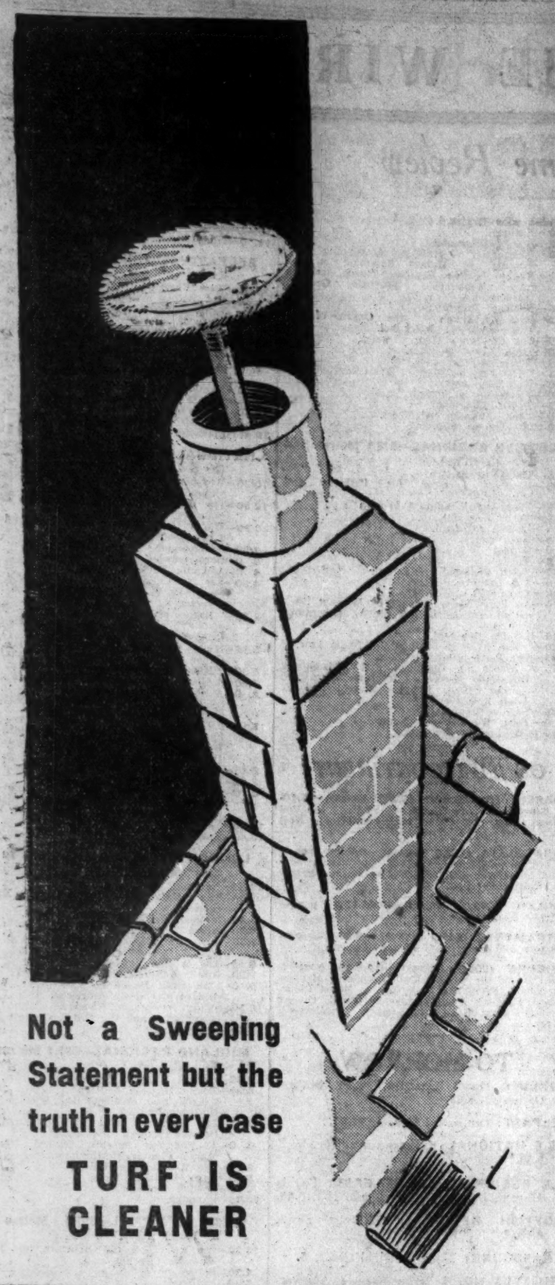
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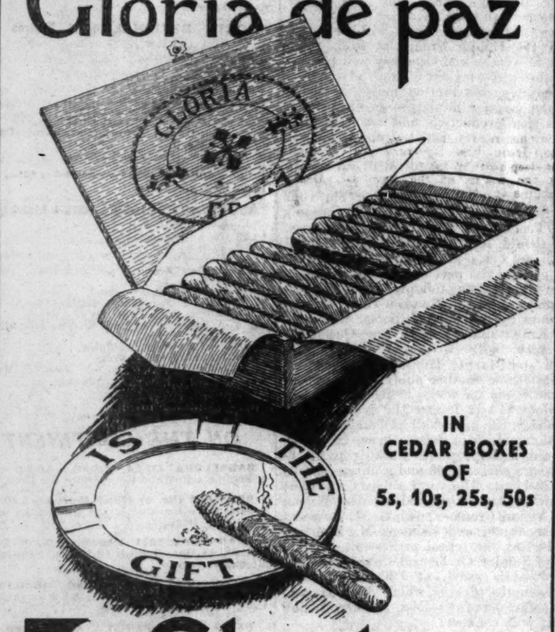
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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

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W. H. MORTON, General Manager.


## TWO MOTORISTS KILLED

Two motorists, a man and a woman, were killed instantly when a saloon car mounted a grass verge and crashed into a tree at Micheldever, near Winchester, yesterday. The identity of the motorists has not been definitely established, but the man is believed to belong to Bournemouth. The car was proceeding towards London.


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## CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

### CAPT. GEORGE F. GRACEY

The third of the special series of sermons, in connection with the Church of Ireland Home Mission Society, on "The World-wide Church," will be preached in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, to-morrow at afternoon Service (3.30 o'clock).

By permission of His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, the preacher will be Captain George F. Gracey, D.S.O., F.R.G.S., who did noble work for many years in connection with the "Friends of Armenia," for the suffering Armenians, amongst whom he took a distinguished lead in the Great War, and was imprisoned for nine months in Moscow after the Bolshevik revolution. He was twice notified as dead, but was spared to work ever since on behalf of the Armenians, who have endured untold sufferings since the war at the hands of Turks and Arabs. He is held in the highest esteem and affection by those in whose cause he has been working for the last 30 years. In recognition of these services, when he was representative of the High Commissioner of Great Britain for Transcaucasia in Armenia, George V., head of the Bishops and Catholics of all Armenians, conferred on him the Order of St. Gregory, the Illuminator of Armenia, 1st Class. He is now engaged in helping the fund, inaugurated by the Lord Mayor of London, on behalf of the Armenians. Doubtless, many will be glad of this opportunity of hearing at first-hand of what is being done on behalf of this ancient Christian people. There will be special offerings for the fund advocated by Captain Gracey.

The preacher at Morning Service (11 o'clock) will be the Rev. Canon Byrn, Rector of Santry and Glasnevin.

# YESTERDAY IN THE LAW COURTS

## KILRUSH QUAY CHARGES

## "REVISED SCALE REASONABLE"

## JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

RESERVED judgment, in favour of the plaintiff, was given in the action in which Daniel Ryan, Cappagh Lodge, Kilrush, was the plaintiff, and the Shannon Steamship Co. were the defendants. The plaintiff, as owner of the quay or pier known as Merchants' quay, at Kilrush, sought a declaration that he was entitled to fix and charge reasonable rates by way of quayage and wharfage for the use of the quay; that the rates so fixed by him on 1st August, 1933, were reasonable; that he was entitled to demand those rates from the defendants; and he also asked for an account of the moneys payable to him by the defendants since the date upon which the new schedule of rates was fixed.

The Shannon Steamship Co. (of which Messrs. Glynn, millers, Kilrush, are the owners), in their defence, admitted the plaintiff's right to charge reasonable rates, and said that they had always been willing to pay such rates. But they alleged that the rates fixed in August, 1933, were excessive and unreasonable, and mentioned that they had applied to the Minister for Industry and Commerce to fix the rates to be charged by the plaintiff after a local public inquiry.

Mr. J. A. Costello, K.C., and Mr. A. Newett (instructed by Messrs. F. Crosskerry and Son) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Frank FitzGibbon, K.C.; Mr. E. J. Phelps, K.C., and Mr. G. Cullinan (instructed by Mr. F. F. Cullinan) for the defendants.

### A SIMPLE ISSUE

In the course of his judgment, Mr. Justice Johnston said that the real issue in the case was very narrow and simple, and might well have been decided by the Clare Circuit Judge. But it happened that it was a new development of a long litigious struggle extending over fifty years, involving, first, the Vandeleur family as lords of the manor and their successor, Mr. Ryan, on the one side, and the important trading firm of Messrs. Glynn on the other. The Vandeleurs succeeded in establishing their right to Merchants' quay and to part of the foreshore by a judgment of the Master of the Rolls in 1902, upheld in the Court of Appeal, and, finally, in the House of Lords. The tolls and rates fixed by the Vandeleurs, as owners, in 1906 were also found to be reasonable and proper. Those rates continued in force until August, 1933, when Mr. Ryan, the present owner of the quay, gave notice that, as from that date, a revised scale would come into operation. It was obvious that this issue could have been confined within very narrow limits, but so strong was Mr. Glynn's belief in his rights and so determined was he to push them to the extreme limit, that nearly every topic connected with the quay had been raised for the purpose of depreciating as much as possible the facilities afforded and of making as large an inroad on Mr. Ryan's proprietorial rights as possible. Mr. Glynn's effort to evade the real issue and to force Mr. Ryan into litigation of a more costly character than was necessary was a repetition of what had happened in previous litigation with another Mr. Glynn.

### A REASONABLE LETTER

Messrs. Croskerry wrote a very reasonable letter on the 22nd September:—"Counsel also advises that if your clients challenges our client's right to alter the charges the proceedings should be instituted in the High Court, but if your clients admit his right to alter the charges and only dispute their reasonableness the proceedings might be taken in the Circuit Court." When this letter was put before Mr. Glynn he would admit nothing and would not consent to this reasonable suggestion, and Mr. Cullinan, on October 22nd, wrote a letter, on his client's instructions, of course, which was marked without prejudice, and in that letter Mr. Glynn attempted, or offered, to have the charges fixed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce and so avoid all question of all litigation between the parties. Messrs. Croskerry replied refusing on the ground that it might in future affect their client's right to vary the charges.

On the 15th November Mr. Cullinan replied that Mr. Glynn was not prepared to enter into any discussion as to what tribunal, if any, the plaintiff would bring the matter before.

The defendant had submitted that Mr. Ryan had done nothing to deepen and widen the channel from the River Shannon and to clean out the harbour or some portion of it. That was introduced to suggest that Mr. Ryan's services to the trading community were meagre and ineffective, which did not appear to be a fact. It was idle to suggest that Mr. Ryan, as private proprietor of this quay, could possibly have supplied the funds that would have been required for carrying out such a gigantic task.

### "EMINENTLY REASONABLE"

The weight of evidence was that Merchants quay was a perfectly safe haven for ships, and safer, even, than Cappagh pier, which was owned by the Kilrush Urban Council. Was there anything unreasonable on the part of Mr. Ryan in asking Mr. Glynn (who really was the defendant company) to pay 4s. per day for the privilege of berthing two steamers, each of about 54 tons register; of loading and unloading there; of charging 3d. per ton wharfage for timber, coal, iron, etc.; 1d. a ton for turf, hay, sand gravel, and so on; 2d. a head for horses and cattle, and 1s. a score for pigs and sheep? Having regard to the facilities for berthing, for loading and unloading, and the proximity of the quay to the town of Kilrush, the rise in the cost of labour, the competition of Cappagh pier, about a mile away, and the charges made at other piers on the Shannon, he (Mr. Justice Johnston) had come to the conclusion that, not only were the charges fixed by Mr. Ryan reasonable, but they were eminently reasonable. Mr. Ryan was a business man, who had embarked capital in this quay, and he was entitled to make such charges as would give him a reasonable return for his money. He had bought the quay from the Vandeleurs at £2,200, and had to expend a large sum on its improvement, and the revenue never met the cost of upkeep.

The wear and tear on property of this description must be very great, and must call for a good deal of expenditure both for material and labour. There was a considerable body of testimony that there had been for many years a deficit in revenue in comparison with the cost of upkeep, and he had no reason to doubt that evidence. He had analysed very closely the rates and charges at other quays on the Shannon in relation to the plaintiff's new tolls, and could not find in them anything that led to the conclusion that the plaintiff had been acting oppressively. He was not impressed with the argument that, because Mr. Ryan had not adopted the very minimum rate that obtained on the Shannon, he was, therefore, acting oppressively and unreasonably.

### INCREASED RATES

Having referred to the Harbour Docks and Piers (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1920, which appeared to have contemplated a general increase of harbour charges all round in Great Britain and Ireland, Mr. Justice Johnston mentioned the increased quayage rates payable at Cappagh under the Kilrush Pier, Co. Clare, Order, 1921, and said that, taken all round, they were somewhat higher than those which Mr. Ryan now wished to charge at Merchant's quay. After detailing variations and circumstances, he said that during the course of the discussion the point was not brought into sufficient prominence that Mr. Ryan himself would have to bear a large part of the burden of the increased rates. Nowhere could he find any foundation for the defendants' suggestion that the new rates fixed by Mr. Ryan were either unreasonable or unfair.

Judgment in favour of the plaintiff was accordingly entered, and the declarations sought by him were made. The defendant company were ordered to pay the costs.

Mr. Costello asked that an inquiry be directed about the amount payable by the defendants in respect of quay charges since 1st August last, suggesting that such inquiry was necessary in view of the obstructive attitude of the defendants.

Mr. Phelps replied that there would be no difficulty about the matter, as it was only a question of account. A stay could be put on the inquiry.

Mr. Justice Johnston ordered an inquiry, but put a stay upon it.

## MAYO FARMER'S WILL

### ACTION TO BE TRIED BY JUDGE

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.)

Mr. J. C. Conroy (instructed by Mr. P. O'Connor) applied on behalf of the plaintiff in a case of Michael Melvin, a farmer, of Cornagelta, Callow, Co. Mayo, against Miss Sarah Walsh, of Boherhallagh, Foxford, Co. Mayo, and John Melvin, a farmer, of Ballina, for an order fixing the mode of trial of the action, which is brought to have the will of the late Martin Melvin, a farmer and bachelor, of Boherhallagh, condemned, and to have a grant of administration of his personal estate made to the plaintiff, who is his nephew.

The defendant Miss Sarah Walsh is a niece, and the defendant John Melvin is a nephew of the testator. They were appointed executors of the will, and to them the testator gave all his property and money, the value of which, it was stated, was considerable, including about £4,000 in bank.

Mr. T. J. Conolly (instructed by Mr. John T. Hannon) appeared for Miss Walsh; and Mr. E. C. Micks (instructed by Messrs. Ruttledge and Corr) for John Melvin.

The Master made an order for the trial of the action by a judge without a jury on the three usual issues.

## A £17,000 ESTATE

### VALIDITY OF AN ASSIGNMENT

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

In an action of Edward Charles Jameson, Pearse street, Dublin, against J. H. Gainfort and his wife, Isabella, who are living abroad, in relation to the estate of Thomas Sherwood Gainfort, formerly of Pearse street, Dublin, an application was made on behalf of the plaintiff for an order declaring that a deed of assignment of 15th October, 1932, from the defendant, J. H. Gainfort, to his wife, was a good and valid assignment, and operated to convey all the estate bequeathed to J. H. Gainfort by his father, the late T. S. Gainfort, to Isobel Gainfort; and for liberty to the executors to transfer to Isobel Gainfort the moneys and securities representing the residue of the estate.

It appeared that the gross assets amounted, approximately, to about £17,000.

Mr. Justice Johnston, having heard the report of Mr. Desmond McLoughlin, solicitor, who went abroad under an order of the Court to investigate the matter, declared the assignment valid.

Mr. Kingsmill Moore (instructed by Mr. Edward C. Jameson) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Michael Binchy, K.C., and Mr. R. McLoughlin (instructed by Messrs. J. H. McLoughlin and Son) for the defendants.

## INJURED IN ROAD ACCIDENT

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

A settlement by consent was announced in an action in which James Daly, labourer, New road, Clara, claimed damages for personal injuries against Joseph Devery, merchant, Clonmacnoise. The plaintiff was cycling near Clara when he was struck by a motor lorry belonging to the defendant. The settlement, which was made a rule of Court, provided for the payment to the plaintiff of £408 in full discharge of all claims in the action.

Mr. P. J. McEnery (instructed by Mr. Dermot Meagher) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. W. Callan (instructed by Messrs. R. F. Barry and Son) for the defendant.

## COMMISSIONERS FOR OATHS

The Chief Justice, in the Supreme Court, Dublin, yesterday, appointed Mr. Andrew J. O'Flynn, Gort, a notary public, and Messrs. John McManus, Trim, and Joseph Larkin, Balbriggan, commissioners for oaths.

## APPEALS AGAINST SENTENCE

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN, MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.

An appeal was heard on behalf of George Dempsey, Clondalkin, against a conviction and sentence of three years' penal servitude imposed on him at the Dublin Circuit Court for a serious offence. The main grounds of the appeal were that the finding of the jury was against the weight of evidence, and that the trial judge had failed to warn them of the danger of convicting on uncorroborated testimony. The appeal was dismissed and the conviction and sentence affirmed.

Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald (instructed by Mr James J. O'Connor) appeared for the appellant, and Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), for the Attorney-General.

The Court affirmed a sentence of 12 months' imprisonment imposed at Cork Circuit Court on John Kennedy, Ballysurdare, Kildorrery, for the larceny of calf skins. Mr. E. O'Mahony (instructed by Messrs. G. Skinner and Co.) appeared for the appellant.

A sentence of seven years' penal servitude imposed on Thomas Devlin at Letterkenny Circuit Court was reduced to 18 months' imprisonment with hard labour. The prisoner had been convicted of entering the Catholic Church at Burt, Co. Donegal, and stealing the contents of a collection box.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

## CLAIM FOR OLD DEBT

(BEFORE JUDGE SHANNON.)

Booth's Distillers, Ltd., Dublin, brought a claim for £38 15s. 10d. against Messrs. Crowley, Bolger and Cusack, solicitors, Dublin, money alleged by the plaintiffs to have been received by the defendants for the use of the plaintiffs. Mrs. Kathleen Murphy and her husband, M. J. Murphy, of Ellesmere terrace, North Circular road, were joined as defendants.

It was stated that in July, 1933, the defendant, Mrs. Murphy, was indebted to the plaintiffs in the sum mentioned. In December, 1933, when Mrs. Murphy's premises were sold, the defendants, Messrs. Crowley, Bolger and Cusack, discovered that the premises were not owned by Mrs. Murphy, and that they were the property of her late husband, and that her interest in them was only to the extent of one-third, the other two-thirds being the property of the children. After the sale Messrs. Crowley, Bolger and Cusack handed the defendant, Mrs. Murphy, as administratrix of her first husband, the balance of the purchase money, and some time in January, 1914, she discovered that she was not in a position to pay her creditors in full, and offered to pay a composition of 10s. in the £. A cheque for £19 7s. 11d. was sent to the plaintiffs by the defendants under that arrangement. The plaintiffs returned the cheque and demanded payment in full of the £38 15s. 10d.

At the close of the evidence for the plaintiffs, the Judge said that he did not require to hear counsel for the defendants. He dismissed the action, with costs.

Mr. I. J. Kelly (instructed by Messrs. Bowles and French) appeared for the plaintiffs.

Mr. G. Gavan Duffy and Mr. J. Hooper (instructed by Messrs. O'Hanlon and Robinson) appeared for Messrs. Crowley, Bolger and Cusack.

Mr. D. Fawsitt (instructed by Messrs. Crowley, Bolger and Cusack) appeared for Mr. and Mrs. Murphy.

## FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, December 15.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

Examiners' Chambers, at 89 Merrion square.

Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—Earl of Fingall (S. 2951), settle schedule.

## I.R.A. MEN SENTENCED,

### REFUSE TO RECOGNISE COURT

Kerry Republicans who refused to recognise the Court when charged before the Military Tribunal at Collins Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, with failing to give an account of their movements and actions when asked to do so by the Civic Guards were sent to prison for six months—three months on the charge preferred against them and three months for contempt.

The prisoners were:—Patrick McCarthy, Tralee; Patrick Driscoll, Drumtacker, Tralee; Michael Murphy, Liseneva, Tralee, and Michael Healy, Liseneva, Tralee. When asked to plead to the charge, the men replied that, as soldiers of the Irish Republican Army, they refused to recognise the Court.

When Jeremiah Nolan, William street, Listowel, and Timothy Brennan, Ford's lane, Listowel, were put forward on a charge of refusing to answer questions, both men refused to recognise the Court, and Brennan said: "As a soldier of the I.R.A., I refuse to recognise the right of this enemy Tribunal to try me on any charge."

Superintendent P. Chambers said that Brennan had not previously been under the notice of the police. Nolan, in March of this year, was convicted of common assault, and was bound over in his own bail to £5, and, at the Central Criminal Court in July, he was one of a number of men who pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawful assembly in connection with that offence. At that time he was released on entering into recognisances to keep the peace for twelve months.

The prisoners were sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

### WIRE CUTTING

Edward Frederick Bates, of Upper Abbey street, Cahir, Co. Tipperary, who pleaded guilty to membership of an unlawful association and to cutting telegraph wires on the railway system near Cahir on December 8th, was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment.

Mr. P. J. McEnery (who was instructed by Mr. J. S. O'Connor) said that Bates, when interrogated, admitted that in August last he cut telegraph wires and removed a length of rail from the permanent-way at Ballydrehod, near Cahir.

Superintendent J. O'Shea said that after a serious riot in Cashel in June last Bates had been bound over to keep the peace.

Compensation amounting to £53 8s. had been awarded in connection with the August offence, said Sergeant Lynch in evidence.

Seven men from Mullinavat, Co. Kilkenny—William Greene, Thomas Brogan, John Foskin, John Aylward, Michael Dunphy, Michael Kelly and William Duggan—were charged with membership of an unlawful association and with cutting telegraph wires at Scart, Co. Kilkenny, on dates in September and October.

When asked to plead to the charge of being members of an unlawful association, the accused men hesitated, and Mr. Nugent (instructed by Mr. Gerald Sweetman), who appeared for all the men except Foskin, explained that the accused did not consider that the League of Youth was an unlawful association. This was the reason for their hesitation. If it was explained to them that that was not the association referred to, he was sure there would be no difficulty.

The President of the Tribunal remarked that counsel should already have explained the matter to his clients. Mr. Nugent replied that he had done so, but the men would like it explained by the Court, as had been done in other cases.

The President said they were not there to explain matters like that, and they had only done so in cases where prisoners were not represented by solicitor or counsel.

On behalf of his clients, Mr. Nugent then pleaded guilty, and Foskin also pleaded guilty. Pleas of guilty were also entered on the other charges.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, prosecuting counsel, said that the amount of damage caused by these offences was £31 7s.

Sentence was deferred, the accused men being ordered to enter into recognisances to keep the peace for two years.

## WELFARE OF THE BLIND

### WORK OF NATIONAL COUNCIL

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Council for the Welfare of the Blind of Ireland was held at the Gresham Hotel, Dublin. Present:—Dr. T. G. Moorhead, who presided; Miss A. Boland, Mr. J. F. Boydell, Mr. D. Byrne, Miss Eacott, Miss L. Long, Dr. F. S. Lavery, Mr. W. R. MacPherson, Dr. and Mrs. Quin, Miss Rochfort Wade, Prior J. Byrne, representing St. Joseph's, Drumcondra, and the Secretary.

Mr. Eugene Coghlan kindly lent an empty shop in Wicklow street for a two-day sale of work done by the blind, held on December 6 and 7. It was well attended, and the takings amounted to £54 3s. 4d.

A dance and bridge drive was held at the Country Shop, St. Stephen's Green, on December 7, organised by Mrs. Boxwell and Mrs. W. S. Barrett. It was a great success.

Suggestions as to the prevention of blindness, particularly in the cases of young people, were further discussed.

It was decided to send a special letter of thanks to Mr. R. Crawford Johnson for his help in respect of a bonus offer in connection with the National Council's Wireless appeal for funds, to provide, on loan, specially designed sets for the Irish blind.

Miss A. S. Armitage and Miss Eacott attended a meeting of the Cork Branch of the National Council last month. They reported that the work of this new branch was most encouraging, particularly the fact that the Principal of the Technical School had offered to receive blind people into any of the ordinary classes from which they could derive benefit.

It was reported that the South Tipperary Branch was holding its annual meeting on December 15.

## LAST OF FOUR AIRMEN BROTHERS

Mr. Maurice Victor McCudden, last of a famous family of airmen, has died in Putney Hospital, where he had been fighting for his life for over a year.

He was a brother of Major James Byford McCudden, V.C. There were in all four brothers and a soldier father. At one time during the war the four brothers were fighting in the air at the same time. Three of the brothers were killed, and then the father died when the door of a railway carriage flew open and he fell out.

Since 1927 Maurice McCudden had achieved a number of long-distance world motor cycling records.

Major James McCudden, V.C., brought down fifty-seven enemy machines during the war. He was killed in a simple accident when his machine side-slipped into the ground in France in 1918.

The Minister for Industry and Commerce yesterday made an Order under the Sheepskin (Control of Export) Act, 1934, whereby the export of sheepskin from which the wool has not been removed is prohibited, save under licence, during the period 15th December, 1934, to 31st March, 1935.


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# IRISHMAN'S DIARY

*A Wide Berth : Art in Manchester : "The Return of the Hero" : Brown Jack : Road Manners*

*"Michael Ireland"*

Following the note in the "Diary" the other day on Darrell Figgis's authorship of "The Return of the Hero," another of my correspondents writes: A good while before the author's death it was generally known that Figgis had written this book, although in style, treatment and theme it was very different from his usually very involved writing. I was pretty intimate with him, but I never knew him either to agree or deny that he had written "The Return." Confirmation of his authorship came about in a curious way after his death, and in his own handwriting. Among those of his books which were auctioned after his passing were several copies of the novel. Picking them up in the auctioneer's, I found that one of them was a printer's proof, with a pseudonym new to me printed on the title page. Figgis had run his pen through this pseudonym, and in ink in his own inimitable characters had inserted the new pseudonym, "Michael Ireland." Unhappily I cannot recall who became the lucky purchaser of this particular item.

*Brown Jack*

A friend writes:—I am very much obliged to your correspondent, whose interesting paragraph concerning the winner of the class for yearling colts at the Birr Show in 1925, when Brown Jack was defeated, appeared in last Monday's issue. I can recollect Sirius winning some races, for I had backed him, but I was not aware that he had been born in my own part of the country and bred by Mr. Kenny, of Clyduff, one of a family famed throughout Ireland for its sporting activities. If my memory does not play me false, a member of this extensive and extremely popular clan at one time owned Silvo, a 'chaser that about a decade ago was regarded as a certain winner of the Grand National.

*Courtesy on the Road*

Would driving tests for beginners ensure greater safety to the general public? A writer on the subject points out, aptly enough, that no mechanical examination would be of the slightest service regarding the most important of all virtues that go to the making of a good and skilful driver—namely, courtesy or consideration of other road users.

Stationary cars, with their headlights left full on against the traffic, are to be met with frequently. This irritating practice confers no benefit whatever on the owner of the car, rather the reverse, and its effect on oncoming traffic is bewildering and dangerous.

Parking cars at dangerous corners brings its own punishment, and is probably for that reason alone becoming less noticeable, but the practice is not yet extinct.

A driver recently, on mounting a particularly narrow and steep ascent on the Dublin Mountains, found to his consternation a car drawn across the road at the steepest part. The gradient was such that braking alone could hardly hold the car with safety, so the driver had resorted to the simple plan of backing his machine against the ditch, and was calmly engaged in admiring the beauties of nature, till an indignant horn called him back sharply to the realities of life. It took some time to get the car wheels out of the steep rut in which they were sunk, but the owner-driver offered no apologies for his action, and drove off without even a glance in the direction of the victim of his thoughtlessness.

*The Manchester Art Gallery*

I was interested to read the paragraph in the Diary about Maurice Lambert, writes a friend, since I, too, had much admired these particular exhibits. There was another interesting piece of work there, too, by a woman sculptor this time—Elizabeth Munz; carried out in bronze, it was the more than life-size recumbent figure of a woman with an infant, and I found it singularly impressive.

There is a very fine collection of Jade in this Gallery, and many very beautiful ornaments—jars, vases, etc., in malachite, smaragdite, lapsis lazuli, cornelian, chalcedony and agate; *media* which I confess I had hitherto associated chiefly, if not solely, with the Book of Revelation.

Manchester is fortunate also in possessing that remarkable portrait group—"Homage to Manet," by Sir William Orpen. The group is gathered round a breakfast table, and includes George Moore, P. Wilson Steer, Henry Tonks, D. S. Macoll, Walter Sickert and Hugh Lane. How I coveted that group for our Dublin Gallery, and, alternatively, wished it were possible to have our contemporary Irish genius similarly represented on one canvas. The Irish Academy of Letters, for instance, could furnish a group which would be singularly interesting to posterity. Think what it would mean, too, to visitors from abroad to be able to assimilate the features of all, or most, of our celebrities in one gulp — so to speak.

*A Farm School*

A century ago there was a famous agricultural college at Bannow, Co. Wexford, where the pupils were taught "reading, writing, arithmetic in all its branches, mensuration, surveying, the mechanical powers, and the elements of chemistry as relating to agriculture." Botany and mental calculation "without aid of pen or ink" were also taught. One of the teachers was a Scotch farmer who instructed the pupils "practically in ploughing, sowing, reaping, and in the various operations of the farm." At that period it was the only school of its type in the country, and it attracted considerable attention. It was actually the subject of a report made to a Select Committee of the House of Commons. The dietary of the pupils is interesting. For breakfast they had stirabout and milk, and for dinner and supper potatoes and milk. On Thursdays and Sundays they had meat and vegetables. I am afraid the modern farm worker's food is not quite so wholesome.

*A Pheasant Shoot*

Lord and Lady Louth will participate in a big pheasant shoot as the guests of Count McCormack at Moore Abbey on Thursday next. Sir John Pritchard Jones and his brother, Mr. Richard Pritchard Jones, also will be among the guns. Sir Hamilton Harty is spending the week-end at Moore Abbey, where he will enjoy a rest from his numerous musical activities. He is a great friend of the McCormacks. It is not often one sees the Count walking through the streets of Dublin. This week, however, he was a familiar figure in the city, and, although he and Countess McCormack spent a good deal of time shopping, it was the gramophone and radio shops that seemed the Mecca of the singer. It is some years now since the McCormacks spent Christmas in Ireland. Shooting seems to be the Count's only recreation at present.

*The Written Word*

The value of the written word, from international passports to the "chits" of oriental servants, is nowhere more appreciated than in the East, and Irishmen living abroad can tell many tales illustrating how effectively, among other things, the written word can be used to disguise the true meaning of the message expressed. It would be difficult, I think, to surpass in neatness the *arrière pensée* conveyed in a "chit" presented to an Irishman living in Bengal, who told me the story. He had been interviewing applicants for a post on his domestic staff, and having laboured through an indifferent selection, it was with somewhat bored amusement that he read the following: "I can recommend anyone wanting a good, honest, hard-working servant to give bearer a berth—a wide one."

QUIDNUNC.

## FOR THE HOSPITALS

### PENNY A WEEK SCHEME RAISES £90.

The employés of the Hammond Lane Foundry Co., Ltd., have again generously sent subscriptions to the various hospitals in the city. This year there was a substantial increase in the amount distributed—namely, £90 6s.

It may be interesting to note the development in this fund for the last four years:—

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| 1931 amount distributed was | £35 | 14 | 0 |
| 1932 ,, ,, ,, | £46 | 4 | 0 |
| 1933 ,, ,, ,, | £67 | 4 | 0 |
| 1934 ,, ,, ,, | £90 | 6 | 0 |

The money is collected at the rate of one penny per worker each week during the year, and it is gratifying to note the amount of good that can be done by such systematic giving.

Three more people—two women and a twelve-year-old boy—have been admitted to Liverpool hospitals following the collapse of the floor at St. Clement's School, bringing the total now detained to thirty-four. Of some 120 people injured in the accident one died subsequently.

## ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

### HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND

As last Sunday's extremely bad weather must have prevented a number of the congregation from attending and contributing to the Hospital Sunday Fund, the Dean has decided to allocate any surplus above the average Sunday collections to-morrow to this fund. He trusts those who were unable to attend the Services last Sunday will avail themselves of this further opportunity of contributing to the Hospital Fund.

## BOYS' BRIGADE CHURCH PARADE

An interesting event in the North City to-morrow will be the annual Church Parade of the 14th Dublin Company of the Boys' Brigade, attached to St. George's Parish.

There will be a Corporate Communion Service at 8 a.m. for past and present members, and the company will parade at the 7 p.m. Service. At this Service the special preacher will be the Rev. R. H. Dowse, B.A., Rector of St. Peter's, and joint president of the 1st Dublin Company. The Company Brass Band, directed by Mr. C. G. Bannister, Reserve of Officers, will play the music for the hymns, and will also play, as outgoing voluntary, the chorus, "And the Glory," from Handel's "Messiah."

## PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.

**Lullaby Land.** By Walt Disney. London: The Bodley Head. 2/6 net.

FICTION.

**A Dunleary Legend.** By Kit Cavanagh. The Quota Press. 7/6 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

**Hints to Marabel.** By Florence Hodgkin. London: The Bodley Head. 7/6 net.

**Denmark, 1934.** Copenhagen: The Royal Danish Ministry for Foreign Affairs and the Danish Statistical Department.

**Survey of Oilseeds and Vegetable Oils. Vol. III.: Ground Nut Products.** Prepared by the Intelligence Branch of the Imperial Economic Committee. London: The Stationery Office. 4/- net.

**Dynamics of Population.** By Frank Lorimer and Frederick Osborn. New York: The Macmillan Company. 15/- net.

**Credit and International Trade: How they Work in Practice.** By Barnard Ellinger and Sir Charles Addis. London: Macmillan. 8/6 net.

**Recollections of an Ulster Archdeacon.** By the Ven. E. D. Atkinson. Belfast: Carswell. 2/- net.

**Isabel: Mrs. Gurney, afterwards The Lady Talbot de Malahide.** By Samuel Gurney. Norwich: Jarrold. London: Simpkin Marshall. 10/6 net.

**Sing a Song of Children.** By Jean Waddell. Belfast: The Quota Press. 2/6 net.

**Cook's Traveller's Handbook to Palestine, Syria and 'Iraq.** Sixth Edition, revised by Christopher Lumby. London: Simpkin Marshall. 10/6 net.

**Glendalough and its Ruins.** By Myles V. Ronan, C.C. Dublin: Brown and Nolan. 6d. net.

**The Capuchin Annual, 1935.** Edited by Father Senan, O.M.Cap. Dublin: "Father Mathew Record" Office. 2/- net.

**Leaflets from my Past.** By Louisa Isabel Knox. London: Stockwell. 3/6 net.

POETRY AND DRAMA.

**The Great Clock Tower.** Commentaries and Poems. By W. B. Yeats. Dublin: The Cuala Press. Subscription, 12/6 net.

**Collected Poems.** By Robert Vansittart. London: Lovat Dickson. 6/- net.

**The Messenger.** By John Morrison. London: The Bodley Head. 5/- net.

**Nelson and the Hamiltons.** By Douglas Mann. London: Halton. 3/6 net.

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# TRINITY COLLEGE NOTES

## MICHAELMAS TERM ENDS

### THE COLOUR MATCH

MICHAELMAS Term ended on Tuesday last, and the life of the University remains suspended until the 10th January next, when Hilary Term begins. The only two institutions which still remain at the service of the undergraduate student body are the co-operative society's store and buffet, which will remain open until the end of next week, the former closing on Saturday next and the latter on Friday. On Monday next the annual colour match will be played against Oxford University in the College Park, and the ever popular "colour" dance will follow in the Metropole Ballroom from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. The Knights of the Campanile, the esoteric body which holds high revel on the night of the "colour" match, will continue the festivities of the day until the following morning, when the Oxford team, having been hospitably entertained, will be escorted to the outgoing mail boat. Tickets for the "colour" dance are now on sale, and may be obtained from members of the Rugby Club or from the Hon. Secretary of the dance, Mr. L. W. McCaughey, 25 Trinity College.

It is announced that the first series of the John Joly Memorial Lectures will be delivered in the Graduates' Memorial Building on Wednesday and Thursday, January 23rd and 24th, 1935, by the famous Cambridge scientist, Lord Rutherford of Nelson, F.R.S., O.M. The subject of the first lecture will be "Radioactive Transformations, Old and New," and of the second (which will be of a more advanced nature), "The New Hydrogen and Artificial Transformations." The lectures will be open to the public.

**Appointments Vacant**

Applications are invited from suitably qualified graduates of the University for the Travelling Scholarship offered for the year 1935-36 by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Berlin. The Scholarship carries with it a monthly allowance of RM. 110 and full remission of fees at any German University which may be selected by the candidate appointed. Application forms and full particulars relating to the Scholarship may be obtained from the Registrar of the University (Professor W. A. Goligher, Litt.D., F.T.C.D.) or from Professor M. F. Liddell, Ph.D., 35 Trinity College. Candidates for the scholarship must be Irish citizens and must apply before January 15th, 1935.

The Appointments Association invite applications for the travelling Fellowships offered by the Commonwealth Fund of New York. These Fellowships are offered for two years at any American University, and carry with them generous allowances for tuition and living expenses, as well as for the ocean passage and travelling expenses during vacations. A limited number are available for women candidates. For the Fellowships tenable during 1935-37, applications must be made before 4th February, 1935.

The Appointments Association also announces that the closing date for applications for entry to the Colonial Administrative Service has been changed from the 31st May to the 30th April. Intending applicants are advised to get in touch with the secretary, Appointments Association, as soon as possible after the 1st January, 1935.

For the Indian Police competitive examination, to be held on 25th June, 1935, notice of candidature must be sent in before 10th April, 1935.

An interesting vacancy which will shortly be filled is that of Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Capetown. The post carries with it an initial salary of £400-£475 yearly, rising to £600-£700, the qualifications being an engineering degree and practical experience in workshops and drawing office. Applications must be sent to the Secretary, Office of the High Commissioner for South Africa, Trafalgar square, London, before 19th December next.

**New Lecture Courses**

Special lectures have been instituted by the Board for the various new Diplomas in the history of European painting, in social studies, and in geography, which have been established during the last few years. For the diploma in geography (which cannot fail to be of advantage to those taking up a teaching career) the lectures will be given on Wednesdays and Thursdays in the Geography Lecture Room, No. 5, Museum Buildings, Trinity College, by Professor L. B. Smyth, Sc.D., and Mr. F. V. Van der Byl, Ph.D., Litt.D. The Hilary Term classes will begin on Wednesday, 16th January, 1935. For those desirous of securing appointments in Galleries and Museums, the diploma in the history of European painting will be of value, as will the diploma in social studies, for those who wish to do welfare work or enter certain branches of Government service.

The appointment of Dr. Thomas Bodkin, Honorary Professor of the History of Art, to be the first holder of the Barber Chair of Fine Arts at the University of Birmingham, has given much pleasure to his many friends in Trinity College. Dr. Bodkin, who is the Director of the National Gallery of Ireland, was appointed to the Chair of the History of Art in 1930, the appointment then being made "for the present holder only." He has delivered many public lectures on his subject, and invariably to crowded audiences. He will carry with him the best wishes of the University to his new sphere of work in Birmingham.

The College Historical Society has appointed the following delegates to inter-debates at other Universities during the present week:—University of Manchester, Mr. W. A. Beers; University College, Galway, Mr. C. A. Preston (Mod.), B.A. (Correspondence Secretary), and Mr. G. T. Farley (Sch.) (Mod.), B.A. (Librarian); University of Birmingham, Mr. J. W. Wellwood (Sch.) (Mod.), B.A. (Auditor).

**The Archbishop's Visit**

It is pleasant to record the appreciation felt by His Grace the Archbishop of York and his chaplain, the Rev. Eric Abbott, M.A., for the reception accorded to them during their recent mission to the University.

The Dean of Residence (the Rev. R. R. Hartford, M.A.) has received letters from both missioners expressing their gratitude and pleasure at the cordial welcome and reception given to them during their stay in Trinity College. It is hardly necessary to add that the pleasure has been reciprocal.

The report of the Hon. Secretary (Mr. R. A. French), Mod., (B.A.) to the D.U. Central Athletic Committee, contained the interesting information that the Board have increased their grant to the Central Committee by a generous amount.

It is hoped as a consequence to be able to provide an extra Rugby ground and several extra tennis courts for the use of the members of these clubs. A grand stand for the College Park is also suggested in the report, as an antidote to the depressing fall in "gates" taken at Rugby matches during the past few seasons.

The Trinity Week Committee, under the able guidance of Mr. R. J. O'Neill, the hon. secretary, returned the handsome profit of £300 to the fund of the Central Committee.

## NAAS LIFEBOAT DANCE

As will be seen in our advertising columns, a dance in aid of the Irish Lifeboats will be held in Mrs. Lawlor's Ballroom, Naas, on St. Stephen's Night.

A large and influential number of patrons, together with a representative committee, are sparing no efforts to ensure a thoroughly enjoyable evening. The catering is in the hands of Mrs. Lawlor, who is making a special effort for this occasion, and a hot sit-down supper, together with a running buffet, is being arranged for by her at the inclusive charge of 10s. for dance and supper. Dancing will commence at 10 p.m. and the music will be supplied by Mr. Jack Fraser's band. Old and new dances will be included in the programme. Novelties will be issued during the evening, and numerous spot dances will be additional attractions.

Evening dress, Hunt dress, fancy dress, or uniform will be worn. Prizes will be given for the best fancy dress.

Arrangements are being made for a special 'bus to leave Aston's quay for Naas at 8.30 p.m., returning to Dublin after the dance.

Five deaths are reported in Cuba as the result of a cold wave, the thermometer standing at less than ten degrees centigrade—the lowest registered for seventy-five years.

# RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL

## COMPULSORY IRISH ISSUE

### DANGER OF COERCIVE MEASURES

MR. J. M. HENRY, M.A., F.T.C.D., yesterday afternoon, in the Rutland High School, Dublin, distributed prizes in connection with the summer examinations held in the school.

The headmistress, Miss L. Stanton, M. A., reading her report, said that in spite of financial depression the attendance during the year had increased, and the health record continued to be excellent.

The results of the different examinations held showed that steady, satisfactory work had been done. There were no candidates last July for the Leaving Certificate examination, as Irish was compulsory, and none of their senior girls had taken it. This, she said, would not occur again, as Irish was now taken as a matter of necessity throughout the school.

She referred to the question of school home work, and said that a reasonable amount of home work was not too much for the normal child, if she was dealt with sensibly at home and at school. "Home work is absolutely necessary if pupils are to pass the examinations now required to obtain qualifications for their work in the world, she said.

The Chairman of the Board of Governors, the Rev. J. Carlyle Breakey, B.A., in the course of his address, referred to the teaching of Irish in schools.

Everyone, he said, who viewed the matter dispassionately would admit that the best medium for imparting a good education was through the language of the child and of his home. For good or for ill, the language of the home was English. There might arise a generation of which the home language would be Gaelic—this was true of certain parts of Ireland already. The people would resent any attempt to teach their children through the medium of a language which was not of their homes.

### A WARNING NOTE

"Let the State lead the people gradually to a love for and a knowledge of the Gaelic tongue, and if, or when, that tongue becomes loved, let it then be used as the medium of instruction. But let the State beware of coercive measures. Such methods have always notoriously failed in our land. To use the present generation of children as a means of immediately establishing the Gaelic tongue will be to stultify the education of a generation and to sacrifice the well-being of our youth for an ideal which may, or may not, have any permanent cultural value."

Mr. Henry, in a short speech at the conclusion of the prize-giving, said that he agreed with the chairman's address. The best policy to adopt was not to coerce people into learning Irish, but if they had genuine love and interest in it to place before them every facility, in order that they might further that love.

### THEN AND NOW

Ireland had been called "the land of saints and scholars," but that seemed rather doubtful. But there had been a golden age in the past, and it should be the effort of everybody to bring that back. Ireland should endeavour to contribute something to the world instead of "slapping herself on the back."

There was much talk about the border, he added, but in the time when Ireland was supposed to be "the land of saints and scholars" there were five separate kingdoms and eight or nine borders. "And it was then quite a common thing for cattle to be driven across them," he added.

A vote of thanks to Mr. J. M. Henry for his attendance was proposed by the Rev. E. H. F. Campbell, M.A., and seconded by the Rev. J. S. Crockett, M.A.

## MULLINGAR TOWN TROPHY

### AN ARTISTIC DESIGN

At the Metropolitan School of Art, Dublin, there was on view yesterday a work by Mr. Oswald Reeves which breaks the chain of habit and must awaken public attention. In the Town of Mullingar the citizens desired to set up a "town trophy" as a special award for prowess in sports among members of the local Gaelic Athletic Association. They desired that this prize should have a distinctive character, and not be merely one of the ordinary silver ornaments or cups of conventional type, but something that in itself should have an original artistic value. Their desire was confided to Mr. Oswald Reeves, who has produced a design distinctly original as a sports trophy and descriptive in its decoration of the various sports favoured by the Association. In its general form the trophy is of the monolith type, of which the modern architectural and sculptural mind is much enamoured—the tower of strength idea—but is designed on lines which are out of the personal conception of the designer, and well conformed, with artistic feeling, to the imposed limitations of his task.

The trophy is constructed of oxidised copper, varying in colour from light bronze to a deep purple brown, chiselled and chased, and enriched with inlaid enamels of silver and gold. It stands on a base of Kilkenny black marble. On the four sides of the trophy there is decorative work descriptive of athletics, football and hurling, the fourth side having place for inscribing the names of successive winners of the trophy. On the fourth side is engraved mention of the origin of the trophy as follows:—

"Mullingar Town Trophy, presented by the Traders of Mullingar to the Westmeath Gaelic Athletic Association to commemorate the Golden Jubilee year of the Association. October, 1934."

At the School of Art yesterday Mr. Oswald Reeves handed over the trophy to the representatives of the traders of Mullingar, who were personated by Mr. C. Rochfort, T.C., Mr. C. Crowley and Mr. P. Lynch, treasurers; Mr. J. Corcoran, and Mr. W. Curran, secretary. Captain P. Cowan was present on behalf of the Westmeath Gaelic Athletic Association, to whom the trophy will be presented on to-morrow (Sunday) by the traders of Mullingar.

## AN ALL-GAELIC FILM

### PRIVATE SHOW LAST NIGHT

FROM OUR CINEMA CORRESPONDENT.

"Oidhche Sheanchais," a film made completely in the Irish language, and sponsored by the Free State Government, was shown privately in Dublin last night. It will be remembered that when Robert Flaherty was making "Man of Aran," he also made this short Gaelic film at the request of the Government. It depicts an Aran man telling his stories round the fireside, and runs for ten or fifteen minutes. Tom O Diorain is the story-teller, and his audience will be recognised by film-goers—it comprises "Tiger" King, Maggie Dirrane, Patch Ruadh, and the little boy, Michaeleen Dillane.

A man telling a story is unpromising material for the films, which deal with movement and action. One was prepared to see Flaherty trying to keep up the interest with his camera, switching from face to face to show us the intentness of the listeners, or to underline the dramatic moments in the story. He does this, indeed, with uncommon skill, but it was not so necessary as one might have thought. One had forgotten the action which the Irish story-teller brings naturally into his work. O Diorain tells his story not only with his voice, but with his hands and the expression on his face, and can hold the attention even of those who do not know a word of Irish. It is all done very naturally, and the fact that it is intended as an educational film is probably the reason why no concessions have been made to those who do not understand Gaelic.

Dr. Quane, of the Department of Education, attended the private showing last night, and said afterwards that he did not think that the State proposed the making of other pictures of this type, as it felt that this was more a matter for private enterprise. He hoped, however, that the present film would show the way to others.

# ON THE WIRELESS

## Daily Programme Review

### TO-DAY

**DUBLIN:** Opera, "Aida" (Verdi), 7.30.

**BELFAST:** Handel's "Messiah," Parts II. and III., 8.55.

**B.B.C. NATIONAL:** Music Hall, 8.30.

**ALL REGIONALS (except MIDLAND):** The Reginald Paul Pianoforte Quartet, 8.45.

**NORTH REGIONAL:** "Pleasure on Parade," 7.30.

**TURIN:** Opera, "Adrienne Lecouvreur," 7.45.

VERDI'S "Aida" has, perhaps, been performed more often in the Dublin Studio than any other opera. In each case there has been a change of principals in the cast. Once we heard Elizabeth Mellor, Enid Cruikshank, Ben Williams and Leslie Jones—a splendid team; then, again, the brilliant Dublin soprano, Renee Flynn, took the name part, while May Devitt sang the music given to Amneris. J. C. Browner remains consistently in the cast. To-night Elizabeth Mellor makes a return visit in the title rôle, and May Devitt will repeat her former part. Radames has been given to Hughes Macklin, while Amonasro and Ramphis will be taken by John Lynskey and Norman Williams, respectively. As on other occasions, Dr. Vincent O'Brien will conduct the work.

Listeners may appreciate the reminder that Parts II. and III. of Handel's "Messiah" (Part I. being broadcast last night), which is being given by the Belfast Philharmonic Society, and relayed from the Ulster Hall, contains some of the most beautiful music in the oratorio. It includes the solos: "He was despised," "Why do the nations?" and "I know that my Redeemer liveth," and those two mighty choruses — the "Hallelujah" Chorus and "Worthy is the Lamb."

An end-of-term sing-song from Taunton School would be likely to have interested listeners covering most parts, and not be confined to listeners in the western districts of England. To Taunton School come boys from many foreign countries who are sent home by their parents to be educated. The sing-song will be given entirely by the boys themselves, who, on the eve of breaking-up for Christmas holidays, are not likely to lack spirit in their performance. The boys will be assisted by the Taunton School Choir and Orchestra. One of the soloists is Master Graham Seaman, a boy soprano. Mr. Arthur E. Temple, the school's Director of Music, will conduct. (7.30, West Regional).

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES

**DUBLIN—223 Metres** (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.). **ATHLONE — 531 Metres** (565 Kc.) (60 Kw.), and **CORK — 242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

1.30-2.30—Time, Stock, Weather, Gramophone.
6. 0—Gramophone Concert.
6.45—News.
7. 0—Seamus O hEailidhe—Danta as "Fion na Filiodhachta."
7.15—Seamus O'Duirinne, Irish.
7.30—Time Signal.
7.30—Opera, "Aida." Conductor, Dr. Vincent O'Brien. Station Orchestra and Station Opera Chorus: Aida, Elizabeth Mellor; Radames, Hughes Macklin; Amonasro, John Lynskey; Ramphis, Norman Williams; King of Egypt, J. C. Browner; Amneris, May Devitt; Messenger, Sean O'Carroll.
10. 0—Sponsored Programme.
10.30—Time, News, Weather.
10.40—Carl Hardebeck and Frank O'Higgins, piano and fiddle, Irish Dance Music, Jigs, Reels, etc.
11. 0—Close down.

**BELFAST—267.4 Metres** (1,122 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping.
10.45—Scottish Regional.
11.45—North Regional.
12.15—London Regional.
1. 0—National.
2. 0—The Belfast Wireless Orchestra. Frank Capper (bass).
3. 0—National.
4.45—North Regional.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—London Regional.
7.30—"Echoes of Ulster."
7.50—Frank Rea and his Orchestra, relayed from the Orpheus Restaurant.
8.15—Scottish Regional.
8.45—An Interlude. J. Leslie Kenny (pianoforte).
8.55—"Messiah" (Handel). Parts 2 and 3. Relayed from the Belfast Philharmonic Society's Concert at the Ulster Hall.
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10-12.0—London Regional.

**NATIONAL PROGRAMME—1,500 Metres** (200 Kc.) (30 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping.
10.45—"The Week in Westminster"; G. le M. Mander, M.P.
11. 0—Gramophone.
11.45—The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra. Helmar Fernback (tenor).
1. 0—The Commodore Grand Orchestra, relayed from the Commodore Theatre, Hammersmith.
2. 0—The Belfast Wireless Orchestra. Frank Capper (bass).
3. 0—Harold Ramsey at the Organ of the Granada, Tooting.
3.30—Sydney Baynes' Band. Winifred Bury (mezzo-soprano).
4.45—Reginald Dixon at the Organ of the Tower Ballroom, Blackpool.
5.15—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Sports Talk: "Corner Flags and Goal Posts," by a Junior League Referee (F. S. Walburn).
6.45—All Nationals except Droitwich: A Recital by Owen Bryngwyn (baritone).
6.45—Droitwich. Welsh Interlude. The Rev. J. J. Williams, M.A.: "Saints I have known."
7. 0—In Town To-night: A Topical Supplement to the Week's Programmes.
7.30—The B.B.C. Orchestra. Clara Butterworth (soprano).
8.30—Music Hall.
9.30—Time, News, Weather.
10. 0—The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. Frank Sale (baritone).
10.55—"Angler and Scholar," by Izaak Walton. Read by Robert Speaight.
11. 0-12.0—Dance Music. Ambrose and his Embassy Club Orchestra.

**LONDON REGIONAL—342.1 Metres** (877 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping
10.45—Scottish Regional.
11.45—Midland Regional.
12.15—Gramophone
1. 0—National.
5.15—The Children's Hour (Midland Regional).
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—The Wireless Military Band. E. Philip Bertram (bass-baritone).
7.30—Reginald King and his Orchestra.
8.15—"Events and Opinions."
8.45—Chamber Music: The Reginald Paul Pianoforte Quartet and Gabriel Lavelle (baritone).
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10—Ambrose and his Embassy Club Orchestra.
10.40—Gramophone.
11.0-12.0—Ambrose and his Embassy Club Orchestra.
11.30—Time Signal, Greenwich.

**MIDLAND REGIONAL—391.1 Metres** (767 Kc.) (25 Kw.).

10.45—Scottish Regional.
11.45—Sydney Gustard at the Organ of the Gaumont Palace Cinema, Chester.
12.15—London Regional.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—London Regional.
7.30—Jack Padbury and his Band, relayed from the Victoria Ballroom, Nottingham.
8.15—London Regional.
8.45—Jan Berenska and his Orchestra. James Doherty (baritone). Relayed from the Pump Room, Leamington Spa.
9.45—Ronald Gourley (entertainer at the pianoforte)
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10—Midland Programme Calendar
10.15—Topical Talk.
10.30-11.0—London Regional.

**WEST REGIONAL—307.1 Metres** (977 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping
10.45—Scottish Regional.
11.45—North Regional.
1. 0—National.
2. 0—Belfast.
3. 0—National.
4.45—North Regional.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Gramophone.
6.45—Welsh Interlude.
7. 0—The Homes of Wales—2: "Glas Ynys."
7.30—An End-of-Term Sing Song from Taunton School.
8.15—Scottish Regional.
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10—Welsh.
10.15-12.0—London Regional.

**NORTH REGIONAL—449.1 Metres** (668 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping.
10.45—Scottish Regional.
11.45—Sydney Gustard at the Organ of the Gaumont Palace Cinema Chester.
12.15—London Regional.
1. 0—National.
2. 0—Belfast Programme.
2.20—Warrington v. Halifax: A running commentary, by Hubert Bateman, on the Rugby League Football Match, relayed from Wilderspool Football Ground, Warrington.
4.15—National Programme.
4.45—Reginald Dixon at the Organ of the Tower Ballroom, Blackpool.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Northern Programme Diary.
6.45—"The Fratchingtons of Fratchingthorpe."
7. 0—West Regional.
7.30—"Pleasure on Parade."
8.15—Scottish Regional.
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10-12.0—London Regional.

**SCOTTISH REGIONAL—373.1 Metres** (804 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping.
10.45—The Scottish Studio Orchestra
11.45—North Regional.
12.15—London Regional.
1. 0—National.
2. 0—Belfast
3. 0—National.
4.45—North Regional.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—An Eye-Witness Account by William Reid, of the Scottish League Match, Hibernians v. Celtic.
6.40—London Regional.
7.30—"The Week in Scotland," William Law.
7.45—The Perth Madrigal Choir.
8.15—"Events and Opinions": A Four-Square Discussion between Stephen King-Hall, Gerald Heard, Douglas Jerrold and E. Arnot Robertson.
8.45—London Regional.
10. 0—Time, Weather and News.
10.10-12.0—London Regional.

### ON THE CONTINENT

**BERLIN (Funkstunde) (356.7 Metres).**—7.10-9.0 p.m.—Fatinitza—Operetta (Suppé), by the Station Choir and Orchestra. Conductor: Rosbaud.

**BRATISLAVA (298.8 Metres).**—8.5-9.0 p.m.—Lischen et Fritzchen—One-Act Operetta (Offenbach). Conductor: Oldchazel. The Station Orchestra. Conductor: Dyk.

**MILAN (368.6 Metres).**—7.45-10.0 p.m.—Adrienne Lecouvreur—Opera (Cilea).

**STRASBOURG (349.2 Metres).**—8.30-9.30 p.m.—Sonore 100 %—Operetta Sketch (Chadal).

**VIENNA (506.8 Metres).**—8.0-9.30 p.m.—A Flight Round the World—Radio Potpourri (Hruby). The Vienna Symphony Orchestra, a Mixed Choir, Eduard Pfleger's Wind Instrument Band, Gustav Vogelhut's Jazz Band and Soloists. Conductor: Holzer.

### TO-MORROW

**DUBLIN:** Opera Artistes, with Station Orchestra, 8.30.

**BELFAST:** Orchestral Concert, 1.30.

**B.B.C. NATIONAL:** Shakespeare's "Hamlet," 5.30.

**ALL REGIONALS and BELFAST:** Bach's Mass in B minor (Parts I. and II.), 5.45.

**SCOTTISH REGIONAL:** Military Band, 6.45.

**STRASBOURG:** Metz Madrigal Choir, 5.

**BRUSSELS NO. 1:** Saint-Saëns's Anniversary Concert, 8.40.

IT would seem a coincidence, and one almost to be deplored, that, while it is some time since a Shakespearian play was broadcast. Two performances have been arranged for to-day, and both are of "Hamlet." One feels sure one is right in predicting a greater number of listeners for "Hamlet" than for any other Shakespearian play.

One of the productions will be heard from the Dublin Studio at 9.15, when John Stevenson and Company will present an abridged version of the play. Mr. Stevenson's contribution may be looked upon more as a miniature in comparison to its rival production, and not necessarily lessening in its artistic and dramatic value.

The second "Hamlet" will be produced in the Droitwich programme. It also has been adapted for broadcasting, but runs for two hours, against Mr. Stevenson's one. From a cast of twenty-one characters, one should, of course, speak of Hamlet first, but one's attention is attracted in this case to the part of Ophelia, which is to be taken by Fay Compton. Hamlet will be impersonated by Stephen Haggard, and Polonius by Harcourt Williams. Claudius, the King, and Gertrude, the Queen, of Denmark, will be played by Malcolm Keen and Martita Hunt, respectively.

Music from another public school figures in the items for to-day. Bach's Mass in B minor (Parts I. and II.) is being performed in the great hall of Oundle School, Northamptonshire, from whence it will be relayed; 630 people are taking part, including a choir of 246 and a unison chorus of 320 boys. The vocal soloists are Elsie Suddaby, Astra Desmond, Steuart Wilson and Arthur Cranmer, with G. W. Brewster at the organ, and Clement M. Spurling conducting the school orchestra.

The Sunday Orchestral Concert will be heard, as is usual, at 9.30, on Regional wave-lengths, during which John Ireland (pianoforte) is the soloist, and Dr. Adrian Boult will conduct.

### SUNDAY'S PROGRAMMES

**DUBLIN—223 Metres** (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.), **ATHLONE — 531 Metres** (565 Kc.) (60 Kw.), and **CORK—242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

1. 0-3. 0—Gramophone.
8.30—Time, Station Orchestra and Opera Artists: Elizabeth Mellor (soprano), Hughes Macklin (tenor), Norman Williams (baritone).
9.15—John Stephenson and Co., with Orchestra, an Abridged Version of "Hamlet."
10.15—Sean O'Ceallachain, Sports Talk.
10.30—Florrie Ryan (contralto), Sacred Songs: Abide With Me, Nearer, My God, to Thee; Xmas Carols: (a) Close Thine Eyes in Gentle Slumber; (b) Now Another Day is Breaking, Traditional French Carols.
10.45—Station Orchestra.
11. 0—Time, News, Weather, and close down.

**BELFAST—267.4 Metres** (1,122 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

12.30—West Regional.
1.30—The Belfast Wireless Orchestra and May Turtle (soprano).
2.30—National.
4.30—London Regional.
5.45—Midland Regional.
6.45—Frederick R. Amor (viola).
7. 0—A Presbyterian Service, relayed from Fisherwick Church, Belfast.
8. 0—National.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather, Time.
9. 0—Scottish Regional.
10.45—Epilogue.

**NATIONAL — 1,500 Metres** (200 Kc.) (30 Kw.).

10.30—Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping.
12.30—The Western Studio Orchestra and Pauline Maunder (soprano).
1.30—The Belfast Wireless Orchestra and May Turtle (soprano).
2.30—Gramophone.
3. 0—German-Swiss Wireless Orchestra.
4. 0—A Violin Recital by Eda Kersey.
4.30—For the Children: Joan and Betty's Bible Story, by E. R. Appleton, West Regional Director.
4.50—"Heroes of the Free Churches." "Methodists—Thomas Coke," by the Rev. Benjamin Gregory, D.Litt.
5.15—Hints for Daily Living—3, by the Rev. Canon H. R. L. Sheppard, C.H., D.D.
5.30—"Hamlet," by William Shakespeare.
7.30—A Pianoforte Recital by Clifford Curzon.
8. 0—A Short Religious Service from the Studio, conducted by the Very Rev. W. R. Matthews, D.D., Dean of St. Paul's.
8.15—"The Way to God." Section 2—Does God Speak? "Through the Voice within us?" By the Very Rev. W. R. Matthews, D.D., Dean of St. Paul's.
8.45—Droitwich: The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather.
9. 0—Albert Sandler and the Park Lane Hotel Orchestra. Janet Hamilton-Smith (soprano), relayed from the Park Lane Hotel.
10. 0—The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra.
10.45—Epilogue.

**LONDON REGIONAL—342.1 Metres** (877 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

12.30—National.
4.30—The B.B.C. Orchestra and Charles Mayhew (baritone).
5.45—Midland Regional.
6.45—North Regional.
7.55—A Congregationalist Service, relayed from Streatham Congregational Church.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather, Time.
9. 0—"American Points of View"—5. William Allen White (from America).
9.30—Sunday Orchestral Concert. John Ireland (pianoforte) and the B.B.C. Orchestra.
10.45—Epilogue.

**MIDLAND REGIONAL—391.1 Metres** (767 Kc.) (25 Kw.).

4.30—London Regional Programme.
5.35—Bach's Mass in B Minor (Parts 1 and 2), relayed from the Great Hall, Oundle School, Northamptonshire.
6.45—Jan Berenska and his Orchestra, and Dorothy Showell (soprano).
8. 0—A Religious Service, relayed from St. Mary's Church, Nottingham.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather, Time.
9. 0—London Regional.
10.45—Epilogue.

**WEST REGIONAL—307.1 Metres** (977 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

12.30—The Western Studio Orchestra, and Pauline Maunder (soprano).
1.30—Belfast.
2.30—National.
4.30—A Concert from the Workmen's Hall, Ferndale. Ivor John (tenor), the Pendyrus Male Choir, conducted by Arthur Duggan.
5.30—Gramophone.
5.45—Midland Regional.
6.45—North Regional.
7.30—Carolare. The Choir and Congregation of Sketty Parish Church.
7.55—A Religious Service, relayed from St. Peter's Church, Carmarthen.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather, Time.
9. 0—Scottish Regional
10.45—Epilogue.

**NORTH REGIONAL—449.1 Metres** (668 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

12.30—West Regional.
1.30—Belfast.
2.30—National
4.30—London Regional.
5.45—Midland Regional.
6.45—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.
7.45—North Regional Announcements.
7.55—A Religious Service, relayed from Chester Cathedral.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather.
9. 0—Scottish Regional.
10.45—Epilogue.

**SCOTTISH REGIONAL—373.1 Metres** (804 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

12.30—West Regional.
1.30—Belfast.
2.30—National.
4.30—London Regional.
5.45—Midland Regional.
6.45—Scottish Military Band.
7.30—How I Spend My Sunday: 1—A Tram-Driver; 2—A Charming Pagan.
7.55—A Scottish Religious Service, relayed from Paisley Abbey.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather, Time.
9. 0—"American Points of View": William Allen White (from America).
9.30—London Regional.
10.45—Epilogue.

### ON THE CONTINENT

**BARCELONA (377.4 Metres).**—6.0-9.0—Relay of an Opera from the Gran Teatro del Liceo.

**BRUSSELS (No. 1) (483.9 Metres).**—8.40-10.10—Saint-Saëns Concert for the Anniversary of the Composer's Death.

**FRANKFURT (251 Metres).**—6.0-7.0—Dolls—Concert by the Station Orchestra. Conductor: Rosband. Soloists.

**HILVERSUM (301.5 Metres).**—10.10-10.40—Johann Strauss Concert by the A.V.R.O. Orchestra. Conductor: van Raalte.

**PARIS (RADIO-PARIS) (1,648 Metres).**—8.0-10.30—Hervé-Claude Terrasse Festival Programme. Orchestra and Soloists conducted by Labis.

**PRAGUE (470.2 Metres).**—7.0-9.0—Ibert Concert by the Czech Philharmonic Orchestra. Relayed from the Smetana Hall. Conductor: The Composer.

**STRASBOURG (349.2 Metres).**—5.0-6.45—Concert relayed from Metz—Madrigal Choir and the Sondant Orchestra. Conductor: Simon. Soloist: Jacqueline Schweitzer (Twelve-Year-Old Pianist)

**STUTTGART (522.6 Metres).**—7.0-8.30—Advent—Concert by the Station Orchestra and Choir. Conductor: Gorlich. Soloists.

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# BOOKS OF THE WEEK

## Pleasures of Life

### Three Books for the Desert Island

**The Major Pleasures of Life. Selected by Martin Armstrong. The Minor Pleasures of Life. Selected by Rose Macaulay. The Fireside Book. Selected by Arthur Stanley. London: Gollancz. 7s. 6d. net eplece.**

ONE cannot criticise books like these. Anthologists require very special gifts of taste and discretion, and, when they limit their choice in some degree—as these three collectors of pleasures show by their titles—they ought to have a point of view. A first glance shows that Mr. Armstrong, Miss Macaulay and Mr. Stanley have all these gifts.

#### Pleasures, Positive and Negative

Their methods, of course, vary. Mr. Armstrong is concerned with major pleasures, and he has had to justify the adjective. There are things in his collection that are in need of a rest from anthologies, but the nine pleasures selected are treated broadly enough to give room for a great deal of variety. Miss Macaulay feels no responsibility at all, and her point of view is scholarly entertainment. Most things may be treated as minor pleasures, provided that somebody has written about them in an amusing way, and she works with great spirit through an alphabet which begins with Agreeable Encounters and ends with Zenophobia. Here many minor pleasures receive official recognition, as such, for the first time. The manly occupation of Deploring the Decadence of the Age very properly has a place, and so have Disliking Jesuit Mathematical Books, Destruction, and Hating the French. Not, of course, that the whole book is conceived in a spirit of misanthropy, or anything like it. Positive pleasures abound, such as Conversation, Conversion, Correspondence, Courtesy, Credulity, Curious Sights and Dancing. There is room even for experiences which at first sight are far from gay. Yet, Being Out in the Rain has its agreeable side—or why did Bacon make a point of taking out an open carriage when it rained? Wise man, he knew that rain is wholesome because of the nitre in the air and the "universal spirit of the world." Milton was delighted with the experience of Being Sent Down from One's University.

#### "Snaring Unicorns"

Some pleasures there are which, alas! we can enjoy now only in print, and others of which we may taste but once. Such are Snaring Unicorns—although, of course, one had to be a virgin to do that really well at any time—and Dying in an Inn. Miss Macaulay's happy hunting-ground is the seventeenth century, but she goes a long way before it and a long way behind it in every direction. One misses nothing but a section on Misusing the English Language—perhaps, because few writers have written so well on the subject as Miss Macaulay herself.

#### The "Fireside Book"

Mr. Stanley follows up the "Bedside Book" with another delightful anthology. His extracts are longer, on the whole, than those in the other two books, and one of its features is a section of extracts from the novelists from Nashe to Galsworthy. The balance of prose and poetry is very carefully kept, and there is nothing in the book that seems uneasy in its distinguished company except the last extract—as sententious a piece of rubbish as ever the B.B.C. has wafted to a sentimental world.

Here are three admirable books in nice time for the winter. If, instead of keeping them in the shelf nearest the fire, we had to apply the old desert island test to them, our choice would be Miss Macaulay's book. But no such heroic decision, happily, need be made by most of us. The three can be bought for twenty-two and sixpence, and it is better to pay up manfully than to borrow; for few possessors will wish to lend.

## New Novels

**On the Edge of the Stream. By Peadar O'Donnell. Cape. 7/6 net.**

"ON the Edge of the Stream" is easily the most elaborate, and certainly the most successful, of Mr. Peadar O'Donnell's books. It possesses all the good qualities of his first novel, "Islanders"—up to now his best—but it is built upon a larger and more dramatic scale, and displays qualities of narration which "Islanders" had no occasion to reveal. The two or three opening chapters give no indication of the excellence which is to follow; and the reader who is deterred by them will miss a book of unusual interest and excitement.

The theme is the conservativeness of remote Ireland. There is Derrymore, the townland, kept in economic bonds by the Garveys of "The Town," upon whom war is declared by Phil Timony, returning, full of new ideas, from labouring in Scotland. He does not make any great appearance in the book himself, but his unsettling influence permeates the townland (and the book), driving its people not only to take thought of their subjection, but to take measures for its remedy in the form of a co-operative store in competition with the Garveys' monopoly. In other ways, too, his presence is unsettling: it puts questionings on the suitability of her marriage into the mind of Nelly McFadden, who married the school-master after she had jilted Timony ten years earlier. The townland, in fact, is thoroughly pervaded with discontent and the sense of revolt. Then the Garveys invoke the Church, and it seems for a while as if their resistance must succeed, when an unexpected incident turns the tide once more against them, and the book closes in a magnificent flare of conflict.

It is less by the excellence of his characterisation than by his supremely skilful suggestion of the successive atmospheres of revolt, defeat and triumph that Mr. O'Donnell has created so fine a book. That it is impressive and dramatic in the highest degree will not be denied.

**The Emerald Pawn. By O. MacNamara. Gill. 7/6 net.**

IT is impossible to withhold admiration from the author of "The Emerald Pawn." Basing his novel upon the Rev. Myles Ronan's researches into the complications and perplexities of the Reformation in Ireland under Queen Elizabeth and the late Monsignor Hagan's re-discoveries as detailed in "Wine from the Royal Pope," he has made a remarkable and altogether praiseworthy amalgam of history and romantic fiction in an historical romance of the episode which Irishmen remember as the Catholic Confederacy of Munster, and some Englishmen and Spaniards may recall as the Irish Enterprise.

And what a gallery of portraits he has to paint! In the centre is James Fitzmaurice, more Catholic than the Pope, more Geraldine than Desmond. Around Fitzmaurice are the fiery Archbishop Fitzgibbon, the uncompromising Bishop O'Hely, for whom a martyr's crown is claimed; the Judas friar, Molan; the temporising Earl whose shifts and subterfuges availed him not in his miserable end, and all the unlucky Irish exiles who were but the playthings of the courts of France, Spain, Rome—and England.

Exercising the novelist's privilege, the author makes free enough with the facts of history, even to the length of attributing Stukeley's, or Stukeley's, treachery to Fitzmaurice to an unrequited passion for that gallant Geraldine's Connaught wife. This is not by any means the only anachronism in his novel, but neither it nor any mis-reading of character or misrepresentation of circumstance spoils an exciting story of sixteenth century intrigue and counter-intrigue.

## Dr. Luce's Study of Berkeley

### A Philosophy of God

**Berkeley and Malebranche. By A. A. Luce, D.D., F.T.C.D. Oxford University Press (London: Milford). 10/- net.**

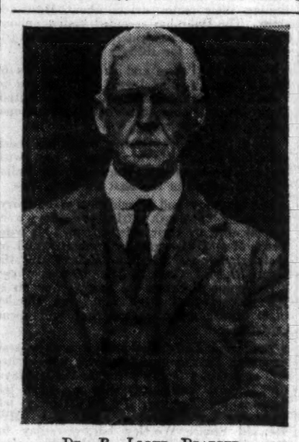
DR. LUCE happily marks his accession to the Chair of Moral Philosophy in the University of Dublin by a study in the origins of Berkeley's philosophy. Interest in Berkeleianism in recent years has been growing, and is widespread at the present time, when its admirers are observing the bicentenary of the founder. Dr. Luce has already contributed to it by several studies, and especially by a brilliant analysis of the Commonplace Book. In the volume before us he is more ambitious, and not only gives an account of the origins of Berkeley's thought, but also sketches his philosophy as a consistent system.

With regard to the question of origins the prevailing view that Berkeley derived most of his inspiration from Locke is challenged. Dr. Luce reverts to an earlier and, in his opinion, a truer view: that Berkeley derived at least as much from Malebranche. In fact, to quote the author's own words, "Locke taught him, but Malebranche inspired him." If we are rightly to understand Berkeleianism, the nature and extent of its indebtedness to Malebranche is, therefore, of primary importance.

Dr. Luce's work may be considered in the light of these two assertions—(1) Berkeley followed Malebranche closely and methodically for the substance of his metaphysics. The proof of this literary dependence involves, therefore, a close scrutiny of the relevant texts. (2) Berkeleianism can be understood as a consistent system and in a new light if we accept the literary connection as proved. The key to this new interpretation is the Malebranchian principle of "seeing all things in God."

#### Berkeley's Independence

In the first part of the work a careful, scholarly and accurate study of the texts supplies sufficient evidence to convert a tentative hypothesis into a moral certainty. True, the thesis that Malebranche influenced Berkeley, or that there is striking



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similarity between their respective theories, is not new. Hegel declares that "Berkeley advocated an idealism which came very near to that of Malebranche." He also showed how important a place in the system is filled by Berkeley's doctrine of God. This point is worthy of notice because it shows that, apart from any particular interpretation of Berkeleianism, any research which proves dependence on Malebranche, and, in addition, traces to its proper source the theological emphasis, is worthy of serious attention. But if the thesis that Malebranche inspired Berkeley is not new, its proof has up to the present been neglected. Here for the first time it is consistently and cogently argued.

Indeed, Dr. Luce shows so close a dependence of the Irish philosopher on the French that it becomes easy to doubt Berkeley's originality. Yet, as we are reminded, the whole doctrine of immaterialism is Berkeley's very own, and no study of origins is ever likely to upset his claims in this direction. In any case, the thesis of a close dependence would remain unshaken even if, as some suggest, Malebranche's final position differs *toto caelo* from that of Berkeley.

Dr. Luce is at his best when he discusses, all too briefly, the influence of Locke's ideism on Berkeley's system. He maintains that though both thinkers present their philosophies as doctrines of "ideas," yet their agreement is more verbal than real. In a characteristic phrase the author sums up his contention that each meant by "idea" something quite different: "In Locke's Essay 'idea' speaks of sober English commonsense, of sunlight, and the highway of life: In the 'Principles' (i.e., of Berkeley) 'idea' suggests Celtic twilight and a Gallic enthusiasm. It is halood with mystery and awe."

It is not possible here even to summarise the brilliant and sustained argument with which Dr. Luce maintains the main contention in the first half of his work. Suffice it to say that, whether that contention is final or not, it is one with which every future student of Berkeley's philosophy must seriously reckon.

#### "The Immensity of God"

The second main contention of the book introduces a section of more general interest. Granted that the inspiration of Malebranche is proved, in what light must we view Berkeleianism? Dr. Luce sees in it the consistent philosophy of a lifetime devoted to one master thought. Berkeley is neither subjective idealist, nor mentalist nor solipsist. His philosophy is first and last a philosophy of God. His dominant thought is not the non-existence of matter but the Immensity of God. Therefore, "to study Berkeley's conception of Deity is to go to the heart of the system." Berkeley himself has given no clearly expounded or consistently developed doctrine of God. Therefore, there must always be diversity of opinion about the significance of his account of Deity. Here Dr. Luce is on less sure ground than in the argument which deals with the literary question. Still he has an interpretation of his own, and he sketches it with enthusiasm and conviction. His argument is expressed in a vigorous prose style which characterises the whole work. We might have expected a fuller treatment of *Siris* and its alleged Platonism. The Professor gives us his conclusions about it without giving as clear a statement of the premisses as might be desirable. This work finds no place in an otherwise faultless index—perhaps an indication that the author has not entirely made up his mind about it, and, therefore, a promise of good things to come? The rest of the section dealing with abstract ideas is true to the spirit of the whole work, but not so convincing.

Many will welcome the fresh publication of the Commonplace Book article as an appendix to the present volume. The second appendix states some interesting facts with regard to Berkeley's meeting with Malebranche.

## Time and Eternity Death-cold Forever

By LYLE DONAGHY

Time and eternity death-cold forever
lie in my imagination, of themselves
they have no being, nor were nor are nor shall be
but as my thought of you is quick and fed
with kisses in the brief now—

although past-times
in a towered place, warm fancy-youth's
overweening insolence flaunted red-
gold-and-black banners, and that lover's
vaunt becoming to youths made sun and moon,
earth, sky, vehicles of my thought and wish
to come to you with rich offerings—

though this
be so, and though in feeling human thoughts
of my own issue I have lived with you
after death and in the present reaped
of times unborn, because I could not sever
myself completely from the pathetic
fallacy in which men's days are wrapped
in which we see ourselves live in our offspring
and in advance congratulate ourselves
upon their sunny life about the porch
where once we sat and talked and shared
this thought—
though that we then beneath the clay shall lie
unknowing and insensitive to what befall—

I have no interest in rootless thought
in this day's foibles—these perish even now
like boneless bowelless things flung up by a high
tide and left unelemented to rot
in the stony sun . . .
I care not for the vagaries of wind
not afforded tongue by solid rock and tree
in places I love, in austere Glenmalure
or perhaps in the eagle-zoned mountains of Kerry,
in this Ireland we know—no, not another's
Ireland, no abstract sponge of bedless
feelings—but yours and mine, darling, mine
and yours—as we have known it, memoried
as we have memoried it for ourselves alone.

Come, my beloved, come with me and where
the blue sea washes with its olden murmur
minding not the follies of the febrile world—
forget in kisses of the lips like waves
long-making upon the porous sand—their sheer
impertinence—even the thought of them.

## The Botanist in Ireland

### New and Exhaustive Work by Dr. Lloyd Praeger

**The Botanist in Ireland. By Robert Lloyd Praeger, D.Sc. Dublin: Hodges, Figgis. 12/6 net.**

NOBODY will need to be told that Dr. Praeger's new book is by far the best and most important work on the flora of this country that has appeared since the same author's publication, "Irish Topographical Botany," in 1901. It is in every sense a masterpiece of botanical work, and, in addition to its other merits, will command the admiration of many who are not botanists by its sketch of the geological and other changes that have passed over this country from the earliest times. On the still unsettled controversies over the possibility of continued life in Ireland during the great Ice Age, Dr. Praeger refrains from putting forward a too dogmatic decision, though one can gather to which side he inclines; and the many puzzling questions that relate to points in which the flora and fauna of this country differ from those of Great Britain are all discussed in such a way as to place the most recent data, from every point of view, clearly before the student's eye.

#### County by County

The general plan of the book is to take in order, not the plants of our flora species by species, but the surface of the country bit by bit, giving separate treatment in every county to those districts in which botanical differentiation can be shown. Tourists visiting Ireland for a holiday will turn readily to the sections that deal with counties like Kerry, Mayo, and Donegal. The last-named county is graphically described as "wind-swept and sodden in winter, but most beautiful throughout the rest of the year, blazing with gorse in spring, glowing with heather in summer and autumn, sparkling with blue-brown lakelets—giving to the traveller fresh vistas with every turn of the road."

#### Practical Value

Dr. Praeger, however, does not concentrate unduly on these enticing headquarters of all our rarest and most remarkable plants. With the full knowledge of one who has tramped nearly every hillside and streamside of the four provinces, he passes over no district without giving us a good bird's-eye view of its features, as well as a trustworthy list of its most striking plants. For reasons that are clearly sufficient—though some readers may be disappointed at the omission—English or popular names are absent from these lists. On the other hand, there are everywhere practical hints concerning hotel accommodation, as well as archæological points of interest, while the many photographs scattered through the book (chiefly taken by Mr. R. Welch) add greatly to the pleasure that it must confer.

## Tom Moore

**Tom Moore. By W. F. Trench. Dublin: At the Sign of the Three Candles.**

DR. TRENCH is a defender of Moore, and, indeed, Moore needs defenders. Like Tennyson, he is paying for too great an adulation during his life by too great a contempt after it, and the time may have come when we should revise our judgment. Dr. Trench's plea for him is admirably balanced and sane—not seeking to pass over his many faults as an artist, but reminding us that there were virtues which ought to be put in the balance against them.

Moore, he admits, was over-estimated by his age; for he fed its need for romance and sentiment, and much of that need was uncritical. His "fatal fluency" undoubtedly led him to write a great deal of rubbish, but the present age thinks of him almost as if he had written nothing else, and forgets that Moore was an artist whose work was admired no less by his fellows than by the people. He deals, too, with the accusation that Moore did nothing for Irish music but alter and vulgarise the old airs in his "Irish Melodies." This, he shows, was not the case; there is proof that Moore treated them with respect and taste. Yet the poet is remembered now only with disparagement, and, as Dr. Trench holds, he has deserved a little better of his country than that.

## With Wellington in the Peninsula

### '98 : the Advance on Tara

**Memoirs of Sir Lowry Cole. Edited by Maud Lowry Cole and Stephen Gwynn. London: Macmillan, 12s. 6d. net.**

THE first Cole to settle in Ireland was one of James I.'s undertakers, who came over from Devonshire and planted a sturdy family that virtually ruled the surrounding country from Enniskillen and Florence Court. Like so many of the families of Anglo-Irish stock, of which they were representative, they were active in Irish politics, British wars, sport and all the pursuits of country gentlemen.

Sir Lowry Cole, whose "Memoirs" are now printed on the suggestion of Mr. Philip Guedella, who discovered their interest and value when he was working on the material for his volume on the Duke of Wellington, was born at Florence Court in 1772; went to school at Armagh and Portarlington, joined the 12th Light Dragoons at fifteen years of age, and completed his education at the University of Stuttgart, where he learned the art of war. He first saw active service in Ireland in the Rebellion of 1798, won rapid promotion in the struggle against Napoleon, made a name for himself as Wellington's assistant in the Peninsular War, just missed Waterloo, but commanded the Army of Occupation in France, and tactfully governed Cape Colony and Mauritius. He had the confidence of Wellington, whom he described as "a fine fellow with the best nerves I ever met with," and was hoped for by the Duke on that fateful battle-eve in Brussels in 1815. Lowry Cole did not get to Brussels in time to assist at Napoleon's overthrow—he was, in fact, busy at the moment in taking unto himself a wife—but both in 1814 and 1815 he was in close touch with the chief actors in the great drama.

#### Vinegar Hill and Bantry Bay

Allusions to Irish affairs are not many in this volume, but they are interesting. Cole was at Vinegar Hill in '98, and the editors print here the instructions he received, as the Hon. Lieut.-Colonel Cole, for the advance on Tara, and an extract from a letter sent to him by Captain R. Crawford, Royal Field Artillery, reporting the appearance of Hoche's ill-starred expedition in Bantry Bay. There are occasional references to the Inniskilling Fusiliers, but none to the scene in the Irish House of Commons during a bitter Union debate in 1799, when Castlereagh was assailed by the Opposition for straining the Constitution by refusing to permit the member for Enniskillen, a strong anti-Unionist, to accept the Exchequership of Munster—a nominal office like the Chiltern Hundreds—when ordered abroad for war service.

The Coles were intimate friends of Lord and Lady Malmesbury, and her ladyship playfully dubbed the General. "His Majesty King Cole." This volume contains not only letters by Cole himself, but also letters from Lady Malmesbury and her cousin, the Hon. Mrs. Robinson. At times these ladies' epistles make lively reading, especially when they retail gossip on people and events around the Court and society. Amidst entertaining descriptions in the volume are pictures of the entry of "Monsieur," the Comte d'Artois, into Paris in 1814; of the Regent and Louis XVIII. in London; Blucher and the Russian Emperor; Talleyrand; Anglo-French difficulties; the conduct of the allied troops, and junkettings, routs, balls and celebrations galore.

The "Memoirs" were put together by Lowry Cole's granddaughter, Miss Maud Lowry Cole, who died before they were ready for the press, and the editing has been completed by Mr. Stephen Gwynn.

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## THE WINTER OF OUR DISCONTENT

### TENNIS IN 1879

### PITY THE POOR REVIEWER

THESE are the days when publishers go to bed, and book production becomes only a memory and a prospect: the lists of "publications received" shrink to an inch or two at the bottom of the page, and reviewers wander through the streets with a lean and hungry look. The reviewer is a maligned creature, but pity rather than abuse would be his lot if people only realised the unparalleled malaise which the publishers' flat seasons induce in him. In the fecund days of spring and autumn he blossoms like the rose; but the scorching barrenness of summer and the freezing barrenness of December leave him a listless poor thing, with nothing to allay his gnawing emptiness. Something happens every now and then, it is true, to relieve the sterility of the close season: the Dublin publishers turn out an occasional book in July or December, and a few English publishers, braving convention, spring a surprise upon the unexpectant world of readers and reviewers: it was at the end of the year that "Anthony Adverse" made its bow. But the season, on an average, is bleak, bleak as the reviewer's thoughts.

#### Addict

For this is the reviewer's bane—that a surfeit of new books induces an inability to read any others. One might expect that, having ploughed his way through a jungle of crime stories for three months on end, he would salute the barren season of Christmas with the gratitude of a weary traveller falling into bed. But no! The itch to read is in him, and read he must. It is useless to pick up Boswell's Life of Johnson—having tried, I know—because his spirit calls unceasingly for something new, something unread before, something "in his line." Hence it comes that the principal buyers of ninepenny editions of crime stories are the regular reviewers of crime stories; and those who normally are doomed to a weekly half-column on travellers' reminiscences, take out a subscription to the nearest library and call for more travellers' reminiscences. It is the same with all reviewers, God help them!

* * *

There are so many things which I want, in my heart of hearts, to read. I want to read about Swift and about Berkeley; I want to revive my acquaintance with D'Annunzio and Rabelais and Shelley; and it would do me a lot of good to read some Irish history, of which I am as ignorant as ninety-nine per cent. of my compatriots. But what is the use after three months of new novels? and what hope have I of settling down to the long-promised treat? Before ten minutes are up my attention has drifted, and that is the end of that.

* * *

#### The Dawn of Tennis

Unable to settle down to solid stuff, and having nothing new, I generally fall back on some cherished tomes that nurtured my childhood. There is a long line of volumes of the *Strand Magazine*, from 1895 to 1902 or thereabouts; and I have a few old *Scribner's* dating from 1879, which are so thoroughly well written that I can read them in anyone's presence without consciousness of disgrace. It was only two nights ago, by the way, that I turned up a *Scribner's*, and found something that I had not seen before. An article on lawn tennis it was—in 1879. Lawn tennis, says the author, is portrayed over and over again in the pages of *Punch*—"in pretty suburban gardens with vine-clad walls, with Du Maurier's willowy English girls and languid-looking men; by fair matrons and exuberant children, and by sedate elderly gentlemen." In America, I read, "it will, no doubt, supersede croquet as a recreation." The outfit consists of "four or more bats and balls, two poles, a net 26 by 5 feet, two guy ropes with runners and pegs, and a mallet. All of these may be purchased in any city for fifteen dollars." Fifteen dollars—£3! And, as if this were not enough, I am told that "a clever young man might construct the implements," though the writer is forced to admit that "an effort of this kind is scarcely worth while."

M. C.

## Mr. Pewter Drinks More Milk

### "Bronchial All Over"

**Mr. Pewter. By A. P. Herbert. London: Methuen. 5/ net.**

EARLY in the present year the B.B.C. offered the qualified freedom of the ether to Mr. Herbert for a series of talks on current topics, and the result was the admirable Mr. Pewter. Mr. Pewter is a London working-man, without, of course, any intellectual training or any reading, but endowed with a core of sturdy common-sense and the British doggedness of thinking which, slow as it may be, is apt to get somewhere in the end. After all, Mr. Herbert might argue, the highly-trained intelligence of Governments and public men does not seem to have made a striking success of things, so why not let Mr. Pewter try to muddle out the answers to a few questions which affect the every-day life of the British subject?

#### Seeing it Through

So Pewter and his wife and daughter did their best to see it through on thirteen Saturday evenings last winter. There was trouble, of course, from time to time. In spite of the care always exercised by the B.B.C., Mr. Pewter put his foot into it badly over milk. Like a patriotic Englishman, he had played his part in the "drink more milk" campaign, and scarcely had he formed the habit of drinking his glass night and morning when he was laid on his back, "bronchial all over." Rightly thinking it a curious coincidence that the germ should have done its deadly work at the very time when he was building up his strength with this nourishing fluid, he began to suspect that the milk itself might have had something to do with it. A letter in a newspaper stating that every year thousands of persons die of tuberculosis and contract other diseases as a result of imbibing germs in milk gave him furiously to think, and in his next talk he had the temerity to suggest that there was something to be said for good beer in moderation. There was, as Mr. Herbert says, a row. He was informed that he was in the pay of the demon alcohol, and there was further unpleasantness when he



PEADAR O'DONNELL, MEMBER OF THE IRISH ACADEMY OF LETTERS.

suggested to one irate correspondent that she was in the pay of the milk trade.

#### B.B.C. Leniency

It is an odd reflection that Mr. Pewter's comments on such matters as British foreign policy, parliamentary reform, speed records, films, unemployment, and the hunger marchers were allowed to pass without an uproar. On the whole, it may be said that the B.B.C. dealt very fairly with Mr. Pewter, and he was allowed considerably more freedom than certain other talkers on current politics. It is no real reflection on this book to say that it smells slightly of the lamp. In the hands of most other writers the reek of petroleum would have made these talks an anæsthetic. Mr. Pewter is by far the most difficult piece of work that his begetter ever has attempted, and Mr. Herbert has done well by him. With most of Pewter's views we are in entire agreement, and even where we dissent violently there is a reasonableness about all the talks which deserves the attention of millions of Pewters and their legislators.


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Three Little Pigs, Laurel & Hardy, in Santa's Workshop, "County Hospital," Mickey's Gala Premiere. Happy Warriors.
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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY),
DEC. 16th, at 4 p.m.
SENATOR T. WESTROPP BENNETT
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The Meeting will be Addressed by Several Prominent Citizens.
N.B.—The Admissions to the Night Shelter since January last numbered 31,572, and 65,731 MEALS WERE GIVEN FREE.

**CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.**
PREACHERS TO-MORROW:
AT 11 A.M.:
REV. CANON BYRN, M.A.
AT 3.30 P.M.
(Special Sermon in connection with the C.I. Home Mission Society).
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By Order,
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(CHRISTMAS PORTION),
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The Irish Times.

*SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1934.*

## NEWS SUMMARY

**IRELAND**

After a sitting of several hours the Dail last night passed the Committee stage of the Citizenship Bill.—(Page 10.)

Speaking at the prize distribution in the Diocesan Girls' School, Adelaide road, Dublin, yesterday, the Most Rev. Dr. Gregg, Archbishop of Dublin, referred to the tendency of girls to leave school before they sat for the Leaving Certificate Examination.—(Page 10.)

The condition of the Dublin family—father and three children—who became ill after a meal was stated last night to be satisfactory.—(Page 9.)

Views on compulsory Irish were expressed at the distribution of prizes in the Rutland High School, Dublin, yesterday.—(Page 6.)

The report has been published of the Dublin Committee appointed to investigate the treatment of mental patients in other countries.—(Page 10.)

**GREAT BRITAIN**

Jack Notyre, the 26-year-old waiter, was found not guilty at Lewes Assizes yesterday of the murder of Violette Kaye, the dancer, whose body was found at Kemp street, Brighton, in a trunk.—(Page 9.)

**SPORTING**

At Hurst Park yesterday Dusty won the Osterley Handicap Hurdle.—(Page 12.)

**FINANCIAL**

London Stock Markets were steady. There was not much doing, owing to end of account adjustments.—(Page 14.)

The Treasury bill rate was slightly lower at 15-32 per cent., compared with 9-16 per cent. last week. Gold was fixed at 140s. 9d. and £162,000 was sold.—(Page 14.)

Dublin Market was better. Guinness units were strong and 1s. 1½d. up at 130s. 7½d.—(Page 14.)

## Bread and Circuses

In the old Roman days when the people were becoming restive, their rulers were wont to give them "*panem et circenses*"—bread and circus games. President de Valera, whose attitude towards the people of this country resembles in many respects that of a Roman Emperor, seems to believe that the best Irish equivalent of the ancient formula is free beef and comic debates in *Dáil Eireann*. The free beef expedient is working fairly well, inasmuch as it is convincing a large section of the poorer classes that President de Valera is a heaven-sent benefactor; but popular taste has changed very much since the days of the Roman circuses, and we fear that the general public in the Free State is becoming heartily sick of the Government's performances in the *Dáil*. We are urged to these reflections by a perusal of this week's debates on the Committee Stage of the Citizenship Bill. Here, as we see it, is a perfectly straightforward measure—a bill to define for purely domestic purposes citizenship of *Saorstát Eireann*. We can find nothing either in the bill itself, or in the various amendments which have been proposed by the Government, that can affect in the slightest degree the common status with all other citizens of the British Commonwealth which the Free State Constitution confers on the inhabitants of the *Saorstát*. In fact, the bill does not deal with the problem of nationality at all; it merely deals with local, as distinct from international citizenship rights. It makes certain very necessary adjustments in respect of naturalisation; it differentiates between various classes of natural born citizens, and, in general, does for the Free State what similar measures have done already for Canada, Australia and South Africa, without any infringement of the Irish citizen's paramount right to claim full membership of the British Commonwealth.

President de Valera, however, has a genius for the creation of a crisis where no crisis exists. As Minister for External Affairs he is in charge of the Citizenship Bill in *Dáil Eireann*, and during the Committee stage, as well as during the second reading, he has been doing everything in his power to make it appear that something revolutionary is being done. A few weeks ago he informed us solemnly that after the passage of this bill there no longer would be any British subjects in the Free State; on Thursday he announced with equal gravity that henceforward Great Britain—and, by inference, Northern Ireland—would be a "foreign country." Pretence of this kind is as mischievous as it is foolish. What is the actual position? The new bill is quite consistent both with the Constitution and with the Articles of Agreement for a Treaty. Consequently, in the future, as in the past, Free State citizens will be citizens of the Commonwealth, so long as the Constitution and the Treaty remain. When President de Valera goes to Geneva to a meeting of the League of Nations his passport demands protection for him in the name of His Britannic Majesty, King George V. We understand that the new bill will make no difference to the form in which *Saorstát* passports are issued. Presumably, President de Valera will continue to refuse to sign them as Minister for External Affairs, delegating that irksome task to Mr. Joseph Walshe; but if Britain is a "foreign country," and if no Free State citizen is a British subject, why on earth should the King's name be used at all? The answer is, of course, that all President de Valera's talk about citizenship is so much *camouflage*. If it came from the Opposition benches, he himself probably would describe it as *ráiméis*. It is an attempt to convince extreme Republicans that *Fianna Fáil* is trying to withdraw from the Commonwealth, whereas, in fact, it is doing nothing of the sort.

We have received anxious inquiries from many nervous persons who have been led to believe that this new bill will prejudice their Commonwealth rights. We wonder whether President de Valera, in his capacity as Chancellor of the National University of Ireland, has had similar inquiries. At present a very large number of graduates from the National University, as well as graduates from Trinity College, finds an outlet in one or other of the British Services. Young Irish doctors are welcome recruits for the Royal Army Medical Corps, the Indian Medical Service, the Royal Navy, and the Royal Air Force, and scores of medical men from President de Valera's University find posts as dispensary doctors in England and Wales every year. In the other professions there is an almost equally large absorption of Irishmen by the sister States of the Commonwealth; and it must be remembered that the livelihood of all these men—and women—depends on their "common citizenship" with Great Britain. If they were French or German, they would have no chance of employment outside the shores of the *Saorstát*. President de Valera, of course, is trying to have things both ways. He has no desire to imperil the position of Free State citizens who are earning their livings in the Commonwealth, or to prevent future emigrants from employment in Great Britain and the Dominions; but he is exceedingly anxious to give the impression at home that he is smashing the shackles, which, as Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly assured us some time ago, still bind a struggling *Saorstát* to the brutal British Empire. The whole business is undignified and petty. President de Valera's quibblings are a source of deep humiliation to hundreds of thousands of Irishmen throughout the world, who need no Acts of Parliament to define their citizenship; and we do not believe that they will induce a single Republican to join the ranks of *Fianna Fáil*.

## Equipment for Work

In the course of a speech yesterday at the Diocesan Girls' School, the Archbishop of Dublin appealed to parents not to take their children away from school before it was necessary. Of late, he said, he had noticed a tendency among girls to take up work at an early age, not waiting until they had sat for the Leaving Certificate Examination. No doubt, the same consideration applies to the boys, for the same influences are at work in both cases, and there are many factors which are inducing parents to give their children as early a start in life as possible. Perhaps, as Dr. Gregg suggests, one of these factors is over-confidence. Many boys and girls (and, indeed, many parents) seem to have very strange ideas as to the ease with which responsible posts are obtained, and the qualifications which are needed for them. After a year or two at school, many young people conclude, in Dr. Gregg's words, that they are "fit for everything, when in reality they are fit for nothing." In such cases the seeking, and even the obtaining, of work, can lead only to disappointment and humiliation. Vanity, however, is not altogether to blame; for the idea has got about that education itself is a hindrance rather than a help to those who wish to make their way in the world. There is a theory, borne out to some extent by facts, that the years spent at school or university are so many waste years; and that a young man or woman would do better to enter a post at the earliest possible moment and work hard for advancement in it. What use, people are asking, is all this long period of education? It fills the mind with facts which are of no immediate practical use, and meanwhile the people who escaped it are filling their minds with far more profitable knowledge. Those who come into employment from the universities, unless that employment is medicine or one of the other learned professions, are under an obvious handicap compared to those who have learned the trade from their early youth. The argument is difficult to meet, but practice is showing it to be unsound. If one has the opportunity for more education, it would be foolish to discard it in favour of immediate work. Dr. Gregg drew attention to a fact which is being realised again—that education, even from the commercial point of view, is a good investment. Commerce and industry have looked on the educated man with suspicion for many years, but they are beginning to change their minds about him now. It is beginning to be the practice of large firms to select such people for their more important places, and there seems to be a tendency for that practice to spread. It is foolish to reject the chance of education when its value is becoming more and more evident, even in quarters where we might not expect it to be appreciated.

## The Royal Dublin Society

It is good news to learn that the Royal Dublin Society proposes next year to spread its Spring Show over five days. Since Mr. Edward Bohane came to Dublin the Spring Show has developed out of all recognition. Formerly it was little more than an experts' affair, and, while it served an extremely useful purpose, it lacked any social attraction. Nowadays the Spring Show rivals the Horse Show in popular favour; indeed, there are some who say that they prefer it to the more famous August fixture. Its scope has been extended considerably. The introduction of jumping contests and other forms of entertainment for the layman has proved to be a brilliant success, and the last Spring Show was a signal reward of Mr. Bohane's enterprise. The most remarkable feature of the Royal Dublin Society's work, however, is the way in which it has been able to triumph in the face of the most formidable difficulties. When President de Valera decided to launch his quarrel with Great Britain, and the "economic war" was declared, many persons took the view that both the Spring Show and the Horse Show would be doomed. Everything pointed in that direction. In the meanwhile, matters have become worse. The export trade to Great Britain is but a shadow of what it used to be. The Government deliberately is trying to reduce the country's cattle population, and generally is discouraging external trade—although its bounties are costing the taxpayer badly-needed money. Yet, as the present year has proved beyond a doubt, the Royal Dublin Society's Shows are as popular and well patronised as ever they were. Heavy duties may be levied on the entry of Irish horses into Great Britain; the cattle trade may languish to the point of death, but the "R.D.S." goes bravely on, as if such a person as President de Valera never had existed. There have been rumours on more than one occasion that Mr. Bohane was about to retire, but, happily, he is still with us. We hope sincerely that he will remain at his post for many years. Ireland can ill afford to lose men of his stamp at present.

## Fitness by Force

Mr. G. K. Chesterton once pointed out that a nation is a nation, not only because of the race of its citizens, but because it does such a number of things that no stranger can understand. Thus, our perplexity at the Americans, who take their hats off in lifts and keep them on in drawing-rooms, and who put their gangsters into prison because they have omitted to pay income-tax on their ill-gotten gains, is, according to Mr. Chesterton, the surest proof that the United States really is a nation. This argument never has been applied by Mr. de Valera, though, on the Chestertonian theory, he might successfully found the whole case for separation on the fact that no Irishman is able to understand why all English people take so great an interest in the Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race. At all events, the latest news from Germany is proof—if any proof were needed—that Herr Hitler has succeeded in establishing a nation. His latest decree is that clergymen will not be allowed to preach, doctors to heal, lawyers to practise, or schoolmasters to teach, unless they can produce a certificate showing that they have had eighteen months' training in boxing, swimming and other sports. As a concession, the rule will not be applied to those un-athletic citizens who already have spent years in their profession; but all new entrants will be made to comply with it, and university students who cannot produce the required certificate will be sent down from their colleges. We rack our brains for any reason—based, perhaps, on a theory of muscular Christianity or the need for a vigorous handling of German schoolboys—but must confess to defeat. Such things defy the comment of strangers, and we can only conclude that the Germans do them because they are Germans.

## COURT AND PERSONAL

Yesterday the King received Mr. G. R. Warner, the newly-appointed British Minister at Berne. He conferred a Knighthood on him, and invested him with the K.C.V.O. Sir Francis Flood, K.C.B., who has been appointed High Commissioner in Canada, was also received by His Majesty.

The Queen has presented a water-colour painting to be sold by auction at the ball in aid of the Victoria League, which will be held at the Dorchester Hotel next Monday night. The Princess Royal has also promised a gift for the sale.

The Prince of Wales received Mr. Philip Guedalla and the Prince of Wales Scholars from Oxford University at St. James's Palace on Thursday.

The King has given permission that Miss Cunningham's tea party for war-disabled men will be held next Wednesday in the Riding School at Buckingham Palace.

The Duke of York, second son of the King and Queen, celebrated his thirty-ninth birthday yesterday.

The Duke and Duchess of Kent are continuing their motor drives about Hertfordshire. The Duke has accepted his unanimous appointment as President of the Royal Agricultural Society for 1935.

The Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Sweden and Princess Ingrid have arrived in Palestine, and are the guests of the British High Commissioner, Sir Arthur Wauchope, D.S.O., in Jerusalem.

King George of Greece, who has been spending some time in London, has, with Major Levides in attendance, left for India, and will remain in the East for some time.

The Marquess and Marchioness of Salisbury, who sailed for South Africa yesterday, were accompanied by their elder son and his wife, Viscount and Viscountess Cranborne, and by their grandsons, the Hon. Robert and the Hon. Richard Cecil. The Marquess and Marchioness of Crewe are leaving London at the end of next week for West Horsley place, Leatherhead, where they will spend Christmas.

Lord and Lady Desborough are in residence at Panshanger, Hertford, where they will entertain a family party for the holidays. Sir Herbert and Lady Samuel have left London for Torquay. Lord Glanely left yesterday for Capetown. The Hon. Mrs. Edward Stuart Wortley left yesterday for India, and will not return till the late spring.

The Earl and Countess of Dunraven will entertain a party at Adare Manor, County Limerick, for their covert shoot on Monday and following days.

The Lord Mayor of Belfast (Sir Crawford McCullagh) was sixty-six yesterday. He was the recipient of many congratulatory messages.

College of St. Columba.—The Carol Service which was to have been held on to-morrow (Sunday), December 16, and also the Old Boys' Supper on Tuesday, December 18, are both cancelled, as the school has been closed owing to illness.

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Among the departures were:—Mr. Roberts, Miss Roberts, Mr. R. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs Delahunt, Mr. Ryde, Mr. Collopy, Mr. R. Renton, Mr. J. B. Renton, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. Bryan, Mr Clarke, Mr. Dempsey, Mr. Parkinson, Mr. Riley, Mr. J. Collins, Mr. Aylward.

**PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE.**
**VIA LIVERPOOL.**

Among the arrivals were:—Mr. T. Jackson, Mr. G. Malcolm, Miss Otway Ruthven, Captain Gordon, Mr. T. Carton, Mr. D. N. Coltier, Mr. Spencer Smith, Mr. G. Essex, Mr. G. A. Stanley, Mr. T. Bunting, Mr. J. Webster, Mr. T. Weir, Mr. J. Brady, Mr. R. Monk, Dr. Perrot, Rev. Father Walsh, Mrs. E. Gardner, Mrs H. Walsh, Mr. E. Malone, Mr. T. Barlow, Mr. J. Anderson, Mr. T. Wallen, Mr and Mrs. Gargan, Mr. H. Leech, Mr. L. C. Cockrell, Major Butler, Mr. J. Cole, Mr. T. Morley, Mr. V. Smith, Mr. R. Shield, Mr. P. Austin, Dr. Sheehan, Mr. J. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mr. T. Pringle, Mrs. Thom, Mrs. Bennett, Mr. T Williams, Mr. R. Davies, Miss Mallon.

Among the departures were:—Sir Edward Bellingham, Mr. T. Malcolm, Mr. T. Adderley, Mr. J. Milward, Mr J. Cheetham, Mr. R. K. Hartley, Mr. J. W. Brown, Mr. A. Cook, Dr. Eccles, Mr. T. E. Barstow, Mr. C. B. W. Leicester, Mr. J. H. Smith, Mr. W. J. Athill, Mr. Spencer Smith, Mr. S. J. Bartlett, Mr. T. Appleton, Rev. — Hanbridge, Miss M. Crean, Miss Goodrum, Mr. K. Allardice, Mr. E. Watkinson, Mrs. G. Henry, Mrs. K. Deering, Miss Colgan, Mr. L. Baxter, Dr. Mary Farrell, Mr. T. MacFarlane, Mr. R. H. Millington, Mr. R. Tasker, Mrs Morrison, Mr. C. C. Riddell, Mr. T. Coughlan, Mr. J. Spears, Dr. Steen, Mr. M. V. Haigh, Mr. W. R. Watson, Mrs. and Miss Lightfoot, Mr. A. C. Dodd, Mr. J. H. Whitworth, Mr. T. Coustol, Mr. J. Brandol, Miss K. Campbell, Miss K. Donnelly, Mrs. P. Gallagher, Miss Ashforth, Mr. T. Clery, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dunne, Mr J. Urler, Mr. and Mrs J. G. Stephen, Mr. T. Doran.

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# LONDON LETTER

## AN INTERNATIONAL AIR FORCE

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN, at the meeting of the General Council of the League of Nations Union to-day, threatened to leave the Union if it supported the idea of an international air force. A report was submitted by the Executive of the Union favouring the abolition of all national, military and naval aircraft, the prohibition of the use of civil aircraft for military purposes, and the setting up of an international air force. This report aroused the determined opposition of Sir Austen, who pointed out that to call the proposed force a police force was to beg the question, as it was not a police force, but an air fleet, and a fighting air fleet. He also warned the Council that it was committing itself to turning the League into a belligerent Power whenever war breaks out, and that it would be a fatal day for the League when it was entrusted with the possession and use of armed force. His words made a deep impression on the Council, and after a long debate the discussion was adjourned for six months.

### India

The India Constitution Bill will be presented to the House of Commons for a formal first reading next week, but the text of the measure will not be available until Parliament re-assembles after the Christmas holidays. It is expected that the bill will contain some three hundred clauses, and though the House will commence work upon it early in February it is not likely to be passed until the autumn. In the House of Commons opposition is increasing, and waverers are being induced to declare themselves opposed to Indian autonomy at the centre until it has been given a thorough trial in the provinces.

### The Saar Plebiscite

There is little doubt that the plebiscite, in January, will result in the return of the Saar territory to Germany. The arrangements for the taking of the vote in the plebiscite are most extraordinary, as they will be presided over by more than 900 neutrals, including British, Italians, Norwegians, Swedes, Dutch and Swiss, all of whom have been engaged to supervise the voting. Each of the voting booths will be in charge of a neutral President, supported by two inhabitants of the Saar and two assessors taken from opposing parties. The counting of the votes will take place in Saarbrucken, but the result will be communicated to Geneva before it is published in the country.

### A Liverpool Inquiry

A very uncommon and interesting case is to open in Liverpool to-morrow when the Dean of Liverpool, Dr. Frederick William Dwelley, will appear before a commission of inquiry to answer a charge of causing a scandal in the diocese by refusing to execute the Archbishop's mandate to instal the Archdeacons of Liverpool and Warrington at a Service in the Cathedral on September 27th. It is recalled to-day that the Bishop performed the ceremony himself before going abroad. The proceedings will be taken under the Church Discipline Act, by which, since 1840, all such proceedings in ecclesiastical matters have been regulated. Dr. Dwelley became Dean in 1931, when the Archbishop of Canterbury gave him a Lambeth Doctorate of Divinity. The Court is really one of first instance, as appeal against decision may be made to the Court of the Province, and further to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

### The Abyssinian Dispute

It was thought earlier in the week that the dispute between Italy and Abyssinia, which was taking a rather serious turn, had been amicably settled. Since then, however, there has been another development, as Japan is about to send military experts to Abyssinia to improve the training of the Emperor's troops. It is true that the report has not yet been confirmed, but should it prove correct it is likely to increase the tension existing between Rome and Addis Ababa. In the past the Abyssinian Army has been under instruction given by a neutral Belgian military mission of sixteen officers and non-commissioned officers. The Italian Government objected to this, and certainly is not likely to approve of the employment of Japanese instructors.

### Drink in Parliament

The Lord Chief Justice (Lord Hewart) decided to-day that the sale of drink in the House of Commons without a licence was perfectly legal. The case has been running for some time, and arose out of information originally sworn by Mr. A. P. Herbert asking for summonses against members of the Kitchen Committee of the House of Commons, and alleging offences under the Licensing Act. The case has been carried to the Court of Appeal, and Lord Hewart expressed the opinion that the Bow street magistrate who first tried the case was perfectly right in not issuing the summons, as it was manifest to that magistrate from the documents before him that he was called upon to deal with the House of Commons, acting by means of its Kitchen Committee. That being so, any tribunal might feel a great reluctance to interfere. The decision was received at the House of Commons with calmness, as it had never been supposed for a moment that any change was possible.

### Help for Lancashire

The President of the Board of Trade has declined to agree to the suggestion of the Lancashire cotton industry that the Government should provide a subsidy of £2,000,000 to enable a scheme for rationalising the industry to be carried through, and the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners has submitted alternative proposals, whereby financial assistance may be provided. The spinners believe that there are ten million redundant spindles, and that they could be scrapped with benefit to the industry if the Government would agree to any plan involving a State grant of £2,000,000. The Government has refused a direct subsidy of that amount, but is considering the alternative proposals. It is doubtful whether any such substantial sum can be provided.

### Motor Licences

Extra staffs, running into some hundreds of clerks, will be employed by the London County Council and other licensing authorities at the end of the month, when nearly 2,500,000 current motor licences expire. Normally a fair proportion of motorists renew their licences at post offices, but this year, in consequence of the reduction in the horse power tax, all licences must be renewed at the headquarters of the licensing authority. Evidence must be provided that the provisions of the Road Traffic Act relating to insurance have been complied with, and where there has been a change of ownership the change must have been registered by the appropriate Council and recorded in the registration book.

## THE SENATE VICE-CHAIRMANSHIP

Nominations for the post of Vice-Chairman of the Senate were received by the Clerk of the Senate yesterday, Mr. Donal O'Sullivan.

Mr. M. F. O'Hanlon was nominated by Mr. Ernest Blythe, and Mr. Michael Comyn, K.C., was nominated by Mr. J. Connolly, Minister for Lands.

The election will take place at the meeting of the Senate next Wednesday.

# CITIZENSHIP BILL CONFUSION

## DOUBTFUL VALIDITY OF DAIL DECLARATIONS

## NO CHANGE IN FORM OF PASSPORTS

## WHEN FREE STATE CITIZENS GO ABROAD

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

MR. DE VALERA'S declaration in the Dail on Thursday that, for the purposes of the Citizenship Bill, Great Britain is a "foreign country," created a good deal of surprise. Probably it should not have done so; for Britain in the jargon of the politicians for long has been described as a foreign land and the British Government as the "hereditary enemy."

A distinction, however, must be drawn between the language of the popular orator and that of the statesman. When the President of the Irish Free State Executive Council declares gravely in Parliament that Great Britain is a foreign country, or will be when the Citizenship Bill is passed, it must be taken as a considered definition. It was, no doubt, for this reason that members of the Dail expressed surprise at the presidential utterance.

Many deputies, and many members of the public generally, while fully appreciating their Irish nationality, are conscious of many substantial advantages arising from their common status as British subjects. But, according to Mr. de Valera's statement on the second reading of the bill, "Under Irish law, no Irish citizen will be a British subject when this Act is passed."

That statement is in accord with his assertion that Great Britain will be a foreign country.

ASSUMING that these statements by the President are, in fact, true, many questions arise as to the status of a Free State citizen when he goes abroad. The outstanding one has relation to the value of the Free State passport with which he will be fortified.

At present the Free State Government issues a passport in the name of the King. This entitles the holder to all the protection and rights of a British subject from friendly Powers with which the British Government has reciprocal relations. It has been authoritatively stated that when the bill is passed there will be no change in the form in which the Free State passport will be issued, and there will be no lessening of its efficacy. In other words, citizens of the Free State going abroad will be no longer British subjects, but they will nevertheless be given the full protection of the country which they have been informed that they must regard as "foreign"!

### "TOPSY TURVEYDOM"

This appears to be the triumph of "topsyturveydom" which the discussions and so-called elucidations of the Citizenship Bill have brought about. The President, in introducing the bill, claimed that he did not want to have it both ways, but, as various people have pointed out, this is exactly what he is aiming at.

During the debates the interpretations by the President and his legal advisers were frequently shown to be at fault, and it may be found that in some of the vital matters upon which the President expressed very definite views he has allowed his enthusiasm to exceed his powers.

As against the President's assertions there is the able exposition of the situation made by Mr. John Costello, K.C., who spoke earlier in the second reading debate. He gave it as his definite opinion that the bill does not in any way affect the major question of nationality, but is the same kind of citizenship legislation which has already been passed in Canada, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand.

### BOUND BY TREATY

The proposal in the bill to repeal the British Aliens Act would leave the legal position, from the point of view of international law, entirely unchanged, "because so long as we are legally bound by the Treaty, and so long as we recognise the Treaty and live as we are living at the moment under the Treaty, and the status given by that Treaty, the law remains as it was before."

Deputies who have endeavoured to follow the debates have found themselves greatly mystified by the assertions from both sides of the House. It is not surprising, therefore, that citizens of all classes are asking where they stand, and find it impossible to get an answer.

# SCOTS GREYS FOR ULSTER SHOW

## CAVALRY DISPLAY TO BE GIVEN

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*BELFAST, Friday.*

It was announced at a meeting of the Council of the Royal Ulster Agricultural Society in Belfast to-day that Scotland's only cavalry regiment, the Royal Scots Greys, will visit Belfast from May 29 till June 1, 1935, and take part in the annual show programme, in which their highly-spectacular musical ride and trick riding will be the main features.

The band of the regiment will accompany the teams, and the marvellous displays which will be presented by the Greys, together with their gorgeously-apparelled riders, should ensure record attendances at the next show.

It was also announced that the King's Hall, Balmoral, Belfast, had been hired for an international pigeon show.

# NO MYSTERY ABOUT FOUR ENGLISHMEN

## ATLANTIQUE APPEAL PLEA

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*PARIS, Friday.*

"This case affects the interests of the whole nation," said Maitre Rolland, the Advocate-General, in the opening of his "conclusions" in the final sitting but one of the Atlantique appeal.

He criticised the credibility and "moral value" of the evidence of the witness, M. Blanc, on which, he declared, reste the sole evidence advanced by the insurers that the electric wiring of the great liner was gravely faulty.

Maitre Chresteil has launched the mysterious figures of four Englishmen. But there was no mystery about them, said Maitre Rolland. They were emissaries of the solicitors of the insurers. They solicited M. Blanc to make statements on which Maitre Chresteil based his arguments of the owners' wilful concealment of serious electrical defects from the insurers.

# EXTRADITION DEMAND

## CUBA AND AN EX-PRESIDENT

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*HAVANA, Friday.*

The Cuban Government is demanding the extradition of ex-President Machado from Germany. Senor Machado arrived at Le Havre on board a German liner from San Domingo last Saturday. He did not land, and was stated to be going on to Hamburg.

The former President, who was accompanied by his two daughters and their husbands and a doctor, was then reported to intend going to Italy, via Paris, from Hamburg, finally settling in Paris. He is suffering from dysentery, reported to have been caused by an attempt of his political enemies to poison him.

After the revolution in Cuba in August, 1933, Senor Machado fled by aeroplane to Nassau (Bahamas), and then to the United States. His extradition has been sought by the Cuban Government on various charges, including the illegal putting to death of political opponents.

Sir Ronald Lindsay, the British Ambassador at Washington, has been requested to obtain a stenographic copy of the recent testimony given at the United States munitions investigation.

# MANCHUKUO OIL MONOPOLY

## JAPAN "HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH IT"

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*TOKYO, Friday.*

Sir Robert Clive, British Ambassador to Japan, had an interview to-day with the Japanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Hirota, in which he asked for a reply to the protests by Great Britain against the oil control schemes of Manchukuo and Japan.

It is understood that Mr. Hirota said that the Manchukuo oil control law was one of the steps necessary for the control of the industry in Manchukuo, and Japan had nothing whatever to do with it. However, Japan had, for convenience sake, referred Great Britain's protest to Hsingking. On receipt of a reply from Hsingking the Japanese Government, said Mr. Hirota, would communicate a reply to Great Britain.

In connection with the oil control law of Japan, Mr. Hirota said that the Foreign Office and the Ministry of Industry were conducting negotiations with the Anglo-American oil interests in an endeavour to find some means of lightening the expense involved.

The Manchukuo Government has created an oil sales monopoly, to which the British Government has previously objected, as being a violation of the Nine-Power Treaty, and of Manchukuo's undertaking to maintain the "open-door" principle.

The Japanese Petroleum Industry Bill forces the foreign oil companies trading in Japan to maintain a six months' supply in reserve, and, if necessary, to construct additional reservoirs at their own expense.

# EMPIRE TRADE EXTENSION

## RHODESIA AND SOUTH AFRICA

That Rhodesia should be in a position to offer the United Kingdom and other Dominions the possibility of finding markets in Rhodesia for their products was emphasised by Mr. J. H. Smit, the Southern Rhodesian Minister for Finance and Commerce, in a discussion of the forthcoming Customs Convention with the Union of South Africa at Salisbury yesterday.

The Minister advocated the establishment of a Customs barrier to meet competition from the Union's secondary industries. This, he said, would simply mean placing the Union on the same basis as other members of the Empire.

"Following important conversations with my Government it will be one of my first duties to meet my colleagues in London at a Round Table Conference to discuss ways and means of co-operation on all trade questions," declared Mr. C. T. te Water, High Commissioner for the Union of South Africa in London, who was interviewed by Reuter yesterday aboard the liner Windsor Castle at Cape Town.

He added that he expected a vast improvement in the tourist traffic as a result of his conversations with the Union Government regarding the improvement of travelling facilities. The High Commissioner is on his way back to London to resume his duties after a holiday in South Africa.

A man was killed and a youth was slightly hurt when they were struck by a runaway haulage wagon at the Bradford Pit, Bradford, Manchester, yesterday. The dead man was William Sumner, aged 25. He died in hospital from a fractured skull.

# MID-ATLANTIC DRAMA

## IRISH-BOUND SHIP LOST

## STORM OVERTURNS LIFEBOAT

## RESCUERS AND RESCUED PERISH

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*NEW YORK, Friday.*

Tragedy has overtaken the Newcastle steamer Usworth (3,535 tons), which has been in distress in mid-Atlantic in a violent gale for two days, and this morning sent out two urgent appeals for help.

The Belgian steamer Jean Jadot, which has been standing by the vessel, and at one time even had her in tow, tried in vain to-day to get a line aboard, and finally sent one of her lifeboats through the raging seas to try and take off the Usworth's crew.

Twelve men were taken off, but the lifeboat capsized while on the return journey, and all were thrown into the icy waters.

Two were picked up by the Jean Jadot, but two members of the heroic lifeboat crew are known to be drowned, and the meagre wireless reports at present available appear to indicate that ten members of the Usworth's crew are missing.

Eighteen members of the crew of the Usworth were picked up by the Cunard liner Ascania, which had rushed to the rescue this morning and was standing by.

Owing to the mountainous seas which swept the decks of the Usworth neither the Ascania nor the Jean Jadot could get a line on board, but when the lifeboat capsized the Ascania did her utmost to protect it from the raging sea, and subsequently lowered her own lifeboat and succeeded in bringing back the remaining members of the Usworth's crew.

### THE APPEAL FOR HELP

The Usworth, foundering hopelessly, still continues to roll drunkenly in the ocean, while the waves thundering over her decks are carrying away what little remains of the superstructure.

The steamer Usworth was bound, with a crew of thirty men, from Montreal to Queenstown, when she ran into a violent gale and had to send out an appeal for assistance. The Jean Jadot hastened to her assistance, and had hoped to be able to tow her in to the Azores, but the weather grew steadily worse and the condition of the Usworth became desperate.

A message picked up this morning by the American steamer Blackgull said: "Please try man boats as impossible fling any more lines. Coils washed away. Crew worked out."

The Blackgull was, however, some distance away, and making very slow progress owing to the heavy seas. In response to a message asking whether she could help, the Cunard liner Ascania, which had also picked up the distress calls and had already arrived on the scene, wirelessed to the Blackgull's captain:—

"Thanks. Don't think you can be of any assistance. Doing everything possible. Very bad weather."

The magnificent work done by the Ascania to-day in saving eighteen lives is the culminating point of the most eventful year in the liner's history, and the second time in three months that she had gone to the assistance of a British cargo vessel in distress.

# DUKE AND DUCHESS OF KENT

## AFTERNOON VISIT TO LONDON

The Duke and Duchess of Kent yesterday made a surprise drive to London from Trent Park, near Barnet, where they are spending the second part of their honeymoon.

The Duke, driving his big black sports saloon car, took his wife to York House, St. James's Palace, where he spent two hours dealing with some of the arrears of correspondence which had mounted up since before his wedding.

Afterwards the Duke and Duchess drove from St. James's Palace to 145 Piccadilly to have tea with the Duke and Duchess of York. Scarcely anyone in the Christmas shopping crowds recognised the Duke, as, bareheaded and wearing a heavy overcoat, he drove his car through the traffic along Piccadilly. After tea the Duke and Duchess returned to Trent Park by car.

# HUNGARY THANKS BRITAIN

## GRATEFUL FOR ACTION ON EXPULSIONS

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*BUDAPEST, Friday.*

Tributes to Great Britain for her intervention in the case of the expulsion of Hungarians from Yugoslavia were paid at the sitting of the Hungarian Lower Chamber, at which the plight of the refugees was discussed.

Referring to Sir John Simon's recent answer in the House of Commons on the subject, Count Maurice Eszterhazy and M. Ostor declared that Hungary was deeply and everlastingly grateful to Great Britain for her service to the cause of justice, fairness, and humanity.

The Hungarian Press devotes long and eulogistic articles to Sir John Simon's statement.

# MORE WAR DEBT DEFAULTERS

## HUNGARY'S SUSPENDED PAYMENT

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*WASHINGTON, Friday.*

Poland and Hungary have informed the United States Government that they propose to default on their War debt instalments due to-morrow.

Hungary, however, coupled this statement with an announcement that she would deposit in the foreign creditors' account of the Hungarian National Bank a Treasury certificate equivalent to the amount due and bearing interest at the rate of two per cent.

The Governments of France, Italy and Czechoslovakia have also informed the United States Government of their decision to default on the instalment due to-morrow.

# THE NAVAL TALKS

## MAIN HOPE OF RESUMPTION

## THE BUILDING PROGRAMMES

A DISCUSSION of building programmes forms the main hope for a resumption of the naval talks after a short adjournment, says Reuter.

The question whether Japan is willing to submit her building programme forms one of the chief points on which the Japanese are now seeking instructions, and on the answer of the Government in Tokyo will depend the possibility of a profitable resumption.

If the Japanese answer is in the affirmative, the future talks will then be based on that part of the British middle course plan which dealt with unilateral declarations of naval needs.

The recent discussions between Admiral Yamamoto and Admiral Chatfield on technical questions centred mainly on building programmes. The British, it is understood, indicated their willingness to disclose their own programme for the next five years. It is believed that they have even outlined what their ideas of such a programme are.

### WASHINGTON TREATY

The Americans are unwilling to discuss the British middle course plan or building programmes at this side.

"We are not obstructing the British plan," an American spokesman told Reuter last night, "but we are standing firm on the maintenance of the Washington Treaty."

After the Treaty has been denounced, however, it is thought in other quarters that America may be willing to come into the field of discussion of building programmes.

If the Japanese reply is favourable the probable course of the conversations would be an adjournment, either now or following the denunciation of the Treaty, with a resumption after a break of sufficient duration to enable the United States delegates to return home for consultation with their Government. Such consultation would be necessary to prepare the Americans for detailed discussion of building programmes

Meanwhile the Americans are willing to continue the discussions up to the day on which Japan denounces the treaty. On that day they will consider the present phase of the talks ended.

### THREE POINTS

Besides the question of adjournment and that of discussion of building programmes other points on which the Japanese have asked for instructions are:—

1. The possibility of continuing the talks without the Americans.
2. Quantitative and qualitative limitation as covered in the British middle course suggestions.
3. The retirement of old vessels.

Yesterday Admiral Yamamoto called to see Admiral Standley. The discussion mainly dealt with the Japanese admiral's questions. He endeavoured to discuss the American standpoint regarding building programmes, and sought an explanation of the change in the American plan to go home this week. He was assured by the Americans that they are not discussing building programmes or any phase of the British middle course plan.

Pending receipt of the reply from Tokyo the only meeting scheduled is on the golf course at Walton Heath to-day, when, for the first time, delegates of all three countries will play and talk together. The players are Sir John Simon, Mr. Norman Davis, Admiral Standley, and Mr. Matsudaira.

# NEGRO "GOOD-WILL" FLIGHT

## ENDS IN CRASH AT TRINIDAD

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*PORT OF SPAIN, Friday.*

A good-will flight by two negroes from the United States to the West Indian Islands came to grief here to-day, when the fliers crashed into the backyard of a house as they were taking off for British Guiana.

The fliers, Dr. Albert Forsythe and Mr. Alfred Anderson, both had miraculous escapes. The 'plane was almost a total wreck.

The flight, which was sponsored by the Tuskegee Institute of America, was an endeavour to further the "good neighbour" policy of President Roosevelt.

# NORTHERN MILK REGULATIONS

## EFFECT ON FREE STATE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

*DERRY, Friday.*

A regulation under the Northern Ireland Milk Bill making it an offence to sell milk without a licence will come into force on Sunday. This would mean that East Donegal dairy farmers would be shut out of Derry and Strabane. It is learned, however, that there will be an extension of time granted, and the Lagan Valley farmers will be able to send their milk into Northern Ireland for a few more months. Feeling in Derry, which gets forty per cent. of the milk supply from East Donegal, is favourable to the period of grace being as long as possible.

# JAMESON DEBENTURES

## TO BE REDEEMED

It is reported in our Financial Paragraphs (in Page 14) that the Irish whiskey distilling firm of John Jameson and Son, Limited, is shortly, it is understood, to redeem at 105 the whole of the outstanding Debenture issue, amounting to over £300,000. Stockholders will, therefore, receive £10 10s. for each £10 share. The Debentures were created in 1902, and carry interest at the rate of 4 per cent. They are secured under a trust deed which empowers the company to redeem the principal at 105 at any time on six months' notice. It is understood that no fresh issue of capital is to be made, and that the Debentures are being paid off out of accumulated reserves.

# INTER-UNIVERSITY DEBATE

Professor Howley presided last night at an inter-university debate in University College, Galway. Two representatives each from Queen's University, Belfast; Trinity College, Dublin; University College, Dublin, and University College, Cork, discussed the motion—"That the disappearance of the sturdy, independent-minded, freedom-loving individual and his replacement by servile mass mentality is the gravest human menace of our time."

The motion was rejected by an overwhelming majority.

The condition of Christopher O'Toole (40), of Lower Buckingham street, Dublin, who was taken to the Mater Hospital last Thursday night suffering from what is believed to be ptomaine poisoning, was last night stated to be improving. His three children, Thomas (10), Christopher (9) and Doris (7), who were taken to the Children's Hospital, Temple street, Dublin, suffering from a similar complaint, also are progressing satisfactorily.

# BRIGHTON TRUNK MURDER CHARGE

## ACQUITTAL OF NOTYRE

## FINAL SCENES IN COURT

## HOW THE PRISONER HEARD THE VERDICT

JACK NOTYRE (otherwise Toni Mancini or Cecil Lois England), the 26-year-old waiter, was found not guilty at the Lewes Assizes yesterday of the murder of Violette Kaye, the dancer, whose body was found in a trunk at Kemp street, Brighton.

The case had lasted for five days, and the jury had been absent for two and a quarter hours.

### HUSHED COURT

When they returned to the court Notyre, ashen-faced and stiffly erect, reappeared in the dock.

His gaze moved from the judge's face, and he stared fixedly at the jury for a tense moment as the foreman was asked for the verdict.

When the words "not guilty" echoed through the hush of the court the pallor on Notyre's face increased, his head stirred slightly from side to side, and he stared at Mr. Justice Branson as though dazed.

"You are discharged," said the judge.

Notyre's mouth opened as though he were about to speak, but no sound came from his parted lips

He bowed his head slightly, and pressed his hands to his forehead as he walked down the steps of the dock—a free man.

So ended one of the most dramatic murder trials of recent years.

Notyre's father, sitting a yard in front of the iron-topped dock, raised his hands to his forehead on hearing the verdict and buried his head in them. Then, with joy shining on his strained features, he left the court to tell his wife that their son had been acquitted and that their dreadful ordeal was over.

"Thank God," exclaimed Mrs. England; "I knew my son was innocent."

An emotional reunion of parents and son followed in a room behind the Court. None of the three could speak for some minutes, so overcome were they. Then they left in a closed car, with the blinds drawn, by a back way.

### MOTHER AS WITNESS

As soon as Mr. Justice Branson took his seat yesterday morning Mr. Norman Birkett asked permission to recall a witness for the prosecution.

The witness was Kay Fredericks.

Mr. Birkett said that he now had certain information which was not in his possession at the time that Fredericks gave evidence.

Permission to recall him was given.

Fredericks stated that Violette Kaye for some years was his stage partner.

During that time did she, to your knowledge, take drugs? asked Mr. Birkett.

Yes, replied Fredericks, who added that she appeared at times to be under the influence of drugs.

Another witness said that he recognised a shirt belonging to Notyre as one he (the witness) took to Brighton at the end of June.

The Court suddenly went very silent when Mr. Birkett called for Mrs. England, and Notyre's mother a few moments later came from the waiting room, and threaded her way through the Court to the witness box.

In answer to questions, she recalled that in November, 1933, Violette Kaye stayed at the house the mother formerly had at Brownhill road, Catford. She recalled that one night she went into Violette Kaye's bedroom, and she appeared to be under the influence of drugs. Generally during that week Violette Kaye had had the same appearance.

### MR. BIRKETT'S SPEECH

Mr. Norman Birkett began his speech for the defence by pointing out to the jury that, having called evidence for the defence, he was compelled to speak first, and he did not know what Mr. Cassels, for the Crown, would say in reply. Had the Crown proved to the jury's reasonable satisfaction that Notyre killed Violette Kaye in that basement flat? The case for the Crown was that he killed her with a hammer.

Mr. Birkett said that he had waited to hear some suggestion when Notyre was in the box as to why he had done it. There had not been a word upon that vital question.

"I submit that this vital omission in the case for the Crown destroys it. All the evidence before the death of Violette Kaye is that they were friendly, affectionate, had no quarrels or row, no anger, no words of bitterness, no malice—none of those things which were the concomitant of cruelty or injury.

"This case is simply riddled with doubt. Is it not a most astounding thing that there was morphine in the body—more than a medicinal dose, and it may have been a fatal dose—and yet Mancini was not asked a single question about it?"

### REPLY FOR THE CROWN

Mr. J. L. Cassels, K.C., M.P., argued that the Crown had made out its case. He said to the jury: "Is not the outstanding feature of this case the concealment of the body from all eyes. He spent a whole evening hiding the traces. Instead of calling for help, he preferred the cupboard and the trunk. There was a bogy behind him everywhere he went."

The prosecution could not accept the story that it was fear which drove Mancini on. Was not it guilt?

### THE SUMMING-UP

Mr. Justice Branson, in summing-up, said: "If you are not satisfied that Violette Kaye died from a blow with the hammer, acquit the prisoner immediately. His lying statements are consistent with his innocence or guilt.

"Can you imagine any innocent man dealing in this way with the woman he says he loves?"

The Judge warned the jury that a verdict of guilty must mean they had no reasonable doubt.

### NOTYRE'S BRILLIANT COUNSEL

Mr. Norman Birkett did not begin his legal career until he was thirty. He is now fifty-one. At sixteen he was serving behind the counter of his father's drapery store in Ulverston, Lancashire.

Tall, broad, and with red hair, he is witty, and has obtained distinction not only for the simplicity, but for the conviction of his pleadings. Many have likened him to the late Sir Edward Marshall-Hall, and there is no doubt that both have obtained their greatest triumphs in the defence of those charged with murder.

It was when deputising for Sir Edward Marshall Hall ten years ago that he first came into public notice in a big law case. Sir Edward was taken ill, and Mr. Birkett, after having stayed up all night, addressed the court for four hours, and was immediately hailed as the legal discovery of the year.

One of his more recent cases includes the vindication of Mr. Gladstone's memory in the action brought by Lord Gladstone.

# SAAR VOTING PLANS

## NO PARTIAL RESULTS

## FIRST NEWS FOR GENEVA

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*SAARBRUECKEN, Friday.*

MORE than nine hundred neutrals, including British, Italians, Norwegians, Swedes, Dutch and Swiss, have been engaged to superintend the voting in the Saar plebiscite.

Each voting booth will be in charge of a neutral president, flanked by two Saarois taken from opposing parties and two assessors chosen in the same manner. Voters will be admitted by the police in groups of three.

After verification each voter will receive a voting paper and an envelope specially printed abroad. He will then be shut in the voting-box, and will place a cross against one of three printed questions—for Germany, for France, or for the *status quo*. The sealed envelope will be handed to the president of the booth, who will himself place it in the ballot-box.

The counting of votes will take place in the Wartburg Hall, some 150 neutrals acting as tellers. The Plebiscite Commission will sit on the stage.

The counting of votes will continue without interruption, and there will be no announcement of partial results in order to avoid disturbances.

The result will be first communicated to Geneva, even before it is announced in Wartburg itself. Meanwhile troops of the international force will guard the hall.

A conference of Army chiefs, which was attended by Major-General Brind, who is to command the international force, was held here this morning. The conference, which was presided over by Mr. Knox, President of the Saar Governing Commission, discussed the problem of the billeting and distribution of troops.

# HITLER TRAIN CRASH

## FOURTEEN KILLED

## LEVEL CROSSING ACCIDENT

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*BERLIN, Friday.*

FOURTEEN members of a theatrical company were killed and four seriously injured when an express train crashed into a motor lorry transporting actors from Stade, in Hanover.

The accident occurred this evening in foggy weather.

After crashing through the railway gate the lorry was just crossing the railway line near Verden when the express train caught it in the middle.

The lorry was hurled through the air and came down with a tremendous crash as a total wreck.

The train was stopped immediately and all the passengers joined in rescuing the victims.

There were twenty occupants of the motor lorry.

The train which crashed into the motor lorry was the one on which Herr Hitler left Bremen to-day for Berlin after the launching of the Scharnhorst.

The special train left Bremen about 4.45, and the accident occurred about 5 o'clock.

None of the occupants of the train was hurt, and the train, after a considerable delay, continued its journey to Berlin.

# FROM "THE TIMES"

*(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)*

## A QUARREL COMPOSED

*The Times*, commenting editorially to-day on the end of the dispute in the House of Lords on the Supreme Court of Judicature (Amendment) Bill, says:—It is to be hoped that the hand-shake exchanged between Lord Sankey and Lord Hewart over this solution symbolises an amnesty for all grievances on either side; and on one matter Lord Hewart seemed, on the facts as presented by him, to have a very real grievance. If he was right in saying that when the Royal Commission was appointed he was not consulted as to its terms of reference or its *personnel*, but merely informed of the *fait accompli*, and that he first saw the text of the bill when it was sent to him as a member of the House of Lords last Friday, then he was subjected to an indignity beyond excuse. But the facts are disputed. Lord Sankey says that he consulted Lord Hanworth about the appointment of the Royal Commission towards the end of October, and that the text of the bill was shown to him on the 25th of that month, though without Clause 2. The concordat since established mercifully makes it unnecessary to resolve this conflict.

One word, however, must be added. The gravest element in an incident now closed is its possible effect upon public opinion. The public is genuinely disquieted about the administration of justice. Is it likely to be reassured by this and similar incidents. Not very long ago a judge of first instance, who considered himself slighted by a Lord Justice, announced that he would make the hearing of appeals from his decisions by that Lord Justice impossible by withholding his notes. To-day the Lord Chief Justice advises a Lord Justice, whom he considers, with or without reason, to have been slighted, to refuse to sit. What is the public, and especially the litigating public, to make of all this? They may well say that the question who, if anyone, has insulted whom is of no interest to them, that its public ventilation is unedifying, and that, however it be answered, there is no reason why they should be visited with the consequences of a judicial strike.

### DUBLIN TRAM STRIKE NOTICE

The situation caused by the service of a strike notice upon the Dublin United Tramways Company remained unchanged yesterday.

Last night the transport trades group in the Dublin Trades Union Council held a special meeting in the Labour Hall, Lower Gardiner street, to discuss the position.

The meeting lasted for about two hours, and at the conclusion the Secretary stated that he would report on the deliberations to the Executive Committee of the Council and that a further meeting of the group would take place shortly.

# DAIL GOES ROUND THE CLOCK

## A WAR OF ATTRITION

## SHADOW OF THE CITIZENSHIP BILL

## EXERCISE IN THE DIVISION LOBBY

FEELING was running high when the Dail opened at 10.30 a.m. yesterday morning. Over the House hung the shadow of the Citizenship Bill, with all its labyrinthine depths, and its purely fatuous shallows. Almost immediately the Opposition began to attack the bill. One and all were convinced it was a mere ruse introduced purely and simply to squeeze out other, and more awkward, matters.

Mr. Cosgrave commented on the President's air of hopelessness when he was discussing the bill on Wednesday. Mr. Dillon, with more vivid imagery, described the President as "floundering like a sealion in a bog." Whatever the methods used to express it, the Opposition to a man was burning under a sense of the most acute injustice, and the Minister for Local Government did little to appease their anger when he rose to say he thought this was an urgent, important, necessary and generally desirable measure. Amid groans and cheers a division was held—and the House condemned to what amounted to a life sentence.

### REPRISALS

As the session progressed it became more and more obvious that the Opposition intended to have their revenge. There were still seven amendments to the Imposition of Duties Bill to be taken. On each one of them Mr. Dillon delivered a long and violent diatribe, which his party in every case followed with a request for a division. "It's good exercise anyway," one deputy observed as he rose from his seat for the fourth time to record his vote. For the non-participants, however, it was just dull.

During this performance Mr. Lemass, on the other side of the House, sank gradually further and further into his seat, shaking his head sorrowfully as Mr. Dillon went on, and on and on. At last he could stand it no longer. "I'll say no more—I'm tired," he said weakly. A grin of pure triumph spread over Mr. Dillon's face. "I thought you would be," he said with infinite satisfaction, "and you brought it on yourself." Louder and louder rolled his voice, hard and fast one division followed on another—time was being wasted to an inspired and wholly unbelievable degree. Once, when the Minister tried to stem the flood of Mr. Dillon's denunciation, the deputy spread his hands in an appreciative gesture. "Another of the Minister's unsavoury and odoriferous red herrings," he said, with genuine pleasure. Shortly afterwards he sat down, and joined in some inaudible joke with Mr. Cosgrave, which brought tears of helpless laughter to his eyes. Through the storm Deputy Clery continued to speak his mind about the Opposition.

### MORE CHAOS

At 6.30 p.m. the Citizenship Bill first reared its ugly, and almost universally unpopular, head. The scene which characterised its entry was too familiar to be worthy of comment. Quite simply Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald was discussing Section 5, while the President was giving his undivided attention to Section 4. Wearily the Chair put them right. They thanked him, and continued. Shortly after this incident I determined to make a really conscientious effort to extract some coherent statement, or at least an item of news value, from the conglomeration of "natural-born citizens" and "such persons," which were flying uncertainly from one side of the House to the other.

### A REAL EFFORT

With this intention in mind, I sharpened my pencil and leant forward, so that no refinement of innuendo or argument should escape me. At first it was difficult to attune the ear sufficiently accurately to the pitch of the discussion to be able to distinguish one word from the next. In this debate deputies rely more on the volume rather than on the selection of words to see them through.

At length, however, Mr. MacDermot started on the presentation of citizenship to men and women who had been of some signal service to this country. I took every word of it down carefully. A close examination of the text then was found to reveal no clue as to the substance of the argument. With all my hopes based on the President's reply, I waited his speech with bated breath. The President rose to his feet. "The deputy must have some different principle in mind," he said sadly.

# AIR RACE WINNERS HOME

## C. W. A. SCOTT AND T. C. BLACK IN ENGLAND

Scott and Black, winners of the great England-Australia air race, who flew from Mildenhall to Melbourne in less than three days, arrived back in England last night.

They had travelled overland from Naples to Paris, on to Calais, and across the Channel in the steamer Isle of Thanet. At Dover a large crowd assembled on the quayside and the marine station to welcome them.

As they stepped off the gangway they were surrounded by friends eager to shake them by the hand. Scott's first words on landing were: "Well, we are glad to see you."

The fliers were given a great welcome by cheering crowds when they arrived in London. As Scott and Black emerged from their coach a great cheer went up, and there were cries of "Well done, England!"

On the platform stood a tall, white-haired man and a grey-haired woman. They were Alderman H. M. and Mrs. Black, who had journeyed from Brighton to welcome their son home.

"It's wonderful to be back in London again," said Scott. "The outward journey was quicker, and was, perhaps, of more political significance, but I am happy to get back."

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# CARE OF MENTAL PATIENTS

## PROPOSED NEW BUILDINGS

## OVERCROWDING AT GRANGEGORMAN

A COMMITTEE which was formed in November, 1933, following correspondence between the Free State Minister for Local Government and Public Health and the Joint Committee of Grangegorman Mental Hospital, to investigate the treatment of mental patients in other countries, has just published its report.

The report recommends the acquisition of a suitable site between five and ten miles from Dublin on which to erect permanent buildings, which would be used for the immediate requirements of the Grangegorman Hospital. These requirements include the accommodation of 1,000 patients immediately, and it is recommended that the new buildings should allow of sufficient expansion to accommodate 1,000 more in time. At present Grangegorman is grossly overcrowded owing to the continued yearly increase in the number of patients. Wooden buildings, which had relieved the pressure temporarily were now overcrowded, and a constant source of worry, on account of the risk of fire.

The average yearly increase in the patients was about 50.

The Committee was composed of Councillor Mrs. Maud Walsh (Deputy Chairman of the Joint Committee), Councillor Senator Mrs. Kathleen Clarke, Councillor David Coyle, (Chairman, Grangegorman Visiting Committee), and Dr. J. O'Conor Donelan, resident medical superintendent, who, between August 13th and September 6th, this year, visited a number of mental institutions in Scotland, England, Holland and Belgium.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

In regard to the proposed new mental hospital, they recommend that the site contain 300 to 500 acres, with adequate water, lighting and transport facilities.

Other recommendations in the report are the establishment of extern mental clinics, one in every area of a population between 200,000 and 250,000, and each having 20 to 30 beds. Mental hospitals should have the power to accept voluntary patients, which would mean the repealing of the regulation which forbids the acceptance of any other than those certified insane.

The colony system, being a step towards the better segregation of patients, could be tried; a portion of land acquired for new block buildings could be apportioned for colonies, or a small colony could be established on the Committee's new estate at Turvey, Donabate, County Dublin.

Occupational, educational and physical therapy could be developed under the guidance of fully trained teachers to give daily employment to about 90 per cent. of the patients.

The establishment of a research branch, to be assisted by trained and experienced almoners, is recommended, as well as the establishment of a national colony or home for the care of mentally-defective children. In the latter only children over 70 per cent. normal should be admitted, as worse cases are incapable of benefiting by training. A home for the care of epileptics should also, in the opinion of the Committee, be established.

### BLUE SHIRT PRISONERS

The following statement was issued yesterday from No. 3 Merrion square, Dublin, by the Blue Shirt Farmers' and Labourers' Prisoners' Committee :—

"The parents of the following: Edward Howard, Knockraha, Glanmire; Daniel Murphy, Newmarket; Cornelius Gubbins and James Gubbins, Knockraha; Thomas Drew, Banteer; Charles Creagh-Barry, Carrigtwohill; Norman Fitzgerald, Glanmire, all of County Cork, who are serving sentences in Arbour Hill, wrote asking Mrs. Cronin and Mrs. Blythe, of the Prisoners' Committee in Dublin, to visit their sons when their monthly visit fell due, as they themselves are unable to do so.

"Permission to visit the men was refused to Mrs. Cronin and Mrs. Blythe, and the Provost Marshall, who answered their letter to the Adjutant-General, stated that the monthly visits were for relatives only.

"It is well known that I.R.A. and other prisoners have been visited by non-relatives, and this refusal is an obvious attempt to discriminate against the Blue Shirt prisoners, and to prevent them from receiving visits to which, by the ordinary jail regulations, they are entitled.

"The refusal imposes a great hardship on the parents of these men, who would, naturally, be anxious to hear news of their sons from some one who had actually seen them when they themselves are prevented by the expense or other inconvenience of the long journey from Cork to Dublin from availing themselves of the opportunity to visit them.

"The Prisoners' Committee have also been refused permission to send in any Christmas parcels to the prisoners."

### LANDSLIDE NEAR BELFAST

A landslide occurred on the Belfast and County Down Railway line between Cultra and Craigavad last night, delaying traffic for some time. The rail on the side nearest the sea became dangerous, and passengers had to be transferred to a motor bus in order to continue the journey. Trains from Bangor and Belfast were delayed until the traffic was diverted to a single line.

# CITIZENSHIP BILL AND BRITISH NATIONALITY

## COMMON LAW TO CEASE TO HAVE EFFECT

## NEW SUB-SECTION MOVED BY MR. DE VALERA

HAVING spent seven hours in the consideration of other measures, the Dail resumed the debate on the Committee stage of the Citizenship Bill, 1934, at half-past six yesterday evening.

Two important sub-sections were carried on the motion of Mr. de Valera.

The first declares that the common law relating to British nationality, so far as it is or ever was in force in Saorstat Eireann, shall cease to have effect.

The second declares that the facts or events by reason of which a person is at any time a natural-born citizen of Saorstat Eireann shall not of themselves operate to confer on such person any other citizenship or nationality.

Mr. MacDermot announced that the Opposition were opposed both to the original section and to the amendments.

The Report stage of the bill will be taken on Tuesday.

# A MINISTER'S POWERS

A division was taken on the Government amendment (previously discussed), which empowers the Executive Council to confer a certificate of naturalisation upon any person who has "done signal honour or rendered distinguished service to the Irish nation."

The amendment was inserted by 42 votes to 18.

On Section 5, Mr. D. FITZGERALD (U.I., Carlow-Kilkenny) said that in cases where there was a doubt as to whether a person as a citizen, the proper authority to resolve such a doubt would be a judge, but under the bill the Minister would resolve it.

President DE VALERA said that in cases of doubt the Minister had power to grant a certificate of naturalisation, but the Minister did not purport to resolve any question as to whether any such person had previously been a citizen, and the issue of the certificate would not prejudice any action that might be subsequently raised in the courts under that head.

The section was agreed to.

### IRISH MOTHER'S WISHES

On Section 6, Mr. DE VALERA, answering Mr. Fitzgerald, said that it was provided where an Irish mother wished her children born outside the Saorstat to be regarded as citizens, the Minister for Justice might, if he thought fit, grant a certificate of naturalisation.

Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD said that minors should not be naturalised, nor should people who do not intend living in the country. In the bill they were taking power to naturalise minors whose parents did not live here, and who themselves would probably not be living in the country later on.

Mr. MacDERMOT (U.I., Roscommon) said it was ridiculous to give citizenship to persons unless they were prepared to live in the country.

President DE VALERA said if any person who had got citizenship went away he lost that citizenship after seven years.

The section was passed by 40 votes to 19.

### "ABSOLUTE DISCRETION"

An amendment moved by Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD, on behalf of Mr. Good, sought the deletion from the section which provides for the revocation of a certificate of naturalisation by the Minister of the words "at any time on his own motion and at his absolute discretion."

President DE VALERA said that when granting the certificate the Minister was giving a judgment as to the qualifications of the person, while the same applied in the case of revocation.

On a division the amendment was lost by 42 votes to 20.

Mr. McMENAMIN (U.I., Donegal) asked what would become of the children of persons whose certificates of naturalisation had been revoked. The power to take away citizenship should not be given to any Minister or Court, except in the case of treason. Bad character should not be a cause strong enough to justify it; there were plenty of bad natural-born citizens in every country, yet these could not be deprived of their citizenship.

Mr. DE VALERA said that, in the case of natural-born citizens, their right of citizenship was inherent. In the case of persons granted certificates of naturalisation, citizenship was a privilege. If such a person abused the privilege by misbehaviour, and the Minister was forced to revoke the certificate of naturalisation, there was then the question of the children to be considered. It must be remembered, however, that dual nationality was not a rare thing.

"The mere fact," he continued, "that we would give a certificate of naturalisation to a citizen of another country would not in every instance deprive a citizen of his former nationality. In the case of Belgium, acquisition by a national of citizenship of another country does not deprive him of Belgian nationality. Supposing we had given a certificate of naturalisation to a citizen of another State, and he abused the privilege, there is no reason why we should continue to give him that privilege. In that case the Minister would revoke the naturalisation certificate, and he would probably deport the person to Belgium or to whatever country he belonged. It might be considered right in the interests of the children to send them with their parents."

### THE CASE OF A WIDOW

PRESIDENT DE VALERA moved an amendment providing that a widow whose husband immediately before his death was not a citizen, and who relinquished her citizenship on account of her marriage, on lodging a declaration that she intended to be ordinarily resident in the Saorstat should be deemed to have resumed her citizenship.

Mr. G. O'SULLIVAN (U.I., Dublin Co.) referred to the position of divorcees, and said that they ought to consider the question of whether girls married to persons who were not citizens and who were subsequently divorced should not get more or less the same treatment as widows.

PRESIDENT DE VALERA said that they had considered the matter, but did not think it necessary to make any special provision.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the motion that Clause 13 stand part of the bill,

Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD said that it seemed to be right that under our law the wife should automatically have the nationality of her husband, except so far as other things might alter it. The modern view, which assumed that an Irishwoman should have nationality apart from her husband was to his mind completely wrong, and he objected to their legislating for that point of view.

The PRESIDENT said that what was being done in the bill was to make every possible provision by which the parties to a marriage could be of one nationality, and he was delighted that he had an opportunity of dealing fairly with women in this matter.

The section was passed without a division.

President DE VALERA moved a number of amendments providing that a person of Irish nationality acquiring the nationality of his or her spouse shall not lose Irish nationality before that event.

He said that the amendments would prevent hardships.

The amendments were agreed to without a division.

# BRITISH NATIONALITY

## COMMON LAW TO HAVE NO EFFECT

On Section 28 Mr. DE VALERA proposed that the following new sub-sections be added:—"The common law relating to British nationality, if and so far as it is, or ever was, either wholly or in part, in force in Saorstat Eireann, shall cease to have effect.

"The facts or events by reason of which a person is at any time a natural-born citizen of Saorstat Eireann shall not of themselves operate to confer on such person any other citizenship or nationality."

Mr. DE VALERA said that certain criticisms had been levelled at the bill—that it did not do certain things. He believed it was a wise principle not to have any shadow or suggestion of difference of opinion that might come before a judge in Court, and that the Legislature should resolve these doubts and make the thing particularly plain.

The first of the proposed new sub-sections made it clear that they were not putting an end to the operation of the common law here, which might be regarded by some as running side by side, or being brought over by Article 3, or some such basis, running side by side with the statute.

The second proposed new sub-section meant that where they might have in this country, say, the children born of American parents, who by the law of their country were Americans, the Government did not want to cut across the application of any recognised general principle of that sort.

### UNDESIRABLE SECTION

Mr. MacDERMOT (U.I., Roscommon)—The Opposition are opposed both to the section as it originally stood and to the section with the proposed amendments. Until the day comes—if it ever comes—when a Republic is declared in this country, we see no advantage and no point in passing a law which purports to deprive the citizens of this country of the common status possessed by citizens of every part of the British Commonwealth. Of course, we are all acquainted with the fact that under British law what we do here on that subject has no effect, but that makes the section all the more critical and undesirable. We cannot see that any useful purpose whatever is achieved by Section 28, or by the proposed amendments.

On a division the proposed amendments were carried by 41 votes to 19.

The PRESIDENT moved the insertion of the following new section before Section 29: "Every person who is a citizen of Saorstat Eireann by virtue of Article 3 of the Constitution, and every person who is, or becomes, a citizen of Saorstat Eireann by or under this Act, shall be such citizen for all purposes, municipal and international."

He said that there was no doubt that their law would be respected abroad. The section was introduced to remove any possible misapprehension.

The section was agreed to.

### TITLE AMENDED

President DE VALERA moved that the words, "for all purposes, municipal and international," be added to the title of the bill.

Mr. MacDERMOTT asked if the change in the title would not necessitate a new Money Bill.

The PRESIDENT said that it was quite obvious that the money resolution was to deal with expenses immediately and directly arising out of the bill.

The motion passed.

The motion that the report stage be taken on Tuesday was passed by 38 votes to 20.

The House adjourned at 10.50 until 3 o'clock on Tuesday.

### IRISH WILLS

Mrs. Catherine Marshall, of 41 Rathgar avenue, Rathgar, Dublin, who died on 8th August last, left personal estate in England and the Irish Free State valued at £3,408 10s. 6d.

The Rev. Dr. James Denham Osborne, D.D., of Fairfield House, Highfield road, Rathgar, Dublin, who died on 25th September last, left personal property in England and the Irish Free State valued at £3,030 1s. 11d. The testator left £50 to the Abbey Presbyterian Church, to be added to the Alan Osborne Memorial Fund; £100 to the Presbyterian Church in Ireland in aid of the Slivenson Memorial College or other similar work in India; £100 for hospital work, and £100 for the Augmentation Fund of the General Assembly.

N.U.I. MATRICULATION.
14 Successes June and Sept., 1934. Oral and Correspondence Classes.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's Row, Dublin.
—(Advt.)

# EDUCATION OF GIRLS

## ARCHBISHOP'S PLEA

## ADVICE TO PARENTS

THE tendency of a certain number of girls to leave school before they sat for the Leaving Certificate Examination was referred to by the Most Rev. Dr. Gregg, Archbishop of Dublin, when speaking at the prize distribution in the Diocesan Girls' School, Adelaide road, Dublin, yesterday evening.

"I think it is a great mistake for girls to leave before they have sat for these examinations," the Archbishop said, "and I would earnestly appeal to parents to consider, if they can, for the sake of the girls, quite apart from the sake of the school, to leave their girls at school until they have been through the Intermediate Examination."

The passing of the examination, Dr. Gregg said, did not in itself make the girl much better or more capable than before, but the fact that she had spent another year or more in preparation for the examination would do her a lot of good. It oftened surprised him to find how utterly unprepared people were for some of the offices or posts they sought to obtain. He did not know whether it was that they had an undue opinion of their own capabilities, or had too low an opinion of the offices they tried to get, but there was no doubt in his mind that a great many people thought that they were qualified for positions which they were entirely unqualified for. If girls wanted positions they could capably fill it would be much better to prolong their education as long as possible rather than leave school early.

### "FIT FOR NOTHING"

He wanted girls when thinking of their future positions in life to remember two things: it was quite easy to think too little of themselves, but it was not easy to think too much of themselves. He did not want them to become obsessed with an inferiority complex, to be afraid to assert themselves, or stand on their own feet, or do anything on their own account. That would be a very unfortunate thing; but it was another very unfortunate thing when people thought too much of themselves; that they were fit for anything when really they were fit for nothing.

"It is a very important thing," the Archbishop continued, "to learn to have the right opinion of ourselves. If we have a right opinion we shall very often be saved from getting into positions from which we can only escape with great humiliation and discomfiture; and to try and fill a place one is not qualified for is a thing that may bring you into great discomfort and humiliation."

He mentioned that some years ago he had to do with a man who was very closely connected with one of the Appointments Boards of the University of Cambridge, and who had to do with some of the great employers of industry in England. What he told him was that for some years it had become more and more the practice with the great commercial houses to seek University men to fill their most important places, and the reason was simply that their experience showed them that a man with a better education was more valuable and useful in the higher offices than the man who had climbed through the various departments from the bottom.

The Headmistress, Miss Latimer, B.A., in her report, spoke of the successful year the school had. The results of public examinations were highly creditable. The number on the roll was 150, somewhat about the average for the past few years. At the Intermediate Certificate Examination eight pupils entered, and of these five gained honours and two passed—a commendable result, as the majority of the girls took the higher courses in Irish, English, French, and mathematics.

At the A.P.C.K. Examination in Religious Knowledge 66 entered, and 62 passed, 34 gaining prizes. At this examination Violet Tunstead gained 1st place in the Junior Grade with a silver medal. This is the second year in succession that a pupil of this school has gained this distinction. All the candidates at the General Assembly Examination passed, and five gained prizes.

At the Royal Drawing Society Examination 36 first class honours were gained, and 55 pass certificates.

All the pupils who entered for the Royal Academy of Music passed; seven gained 1st class honours and five gained 2nd class.

Three pupils gained grants at the Alexandra College Entrance Scholarship Examination—Beryl Cantlon, £10; Olive Gaw, £5; and Ethel McKenzie, £5.

### PRINCIPAL PRIZES

The results of the principal school prizes were as follows:—Evelyn C. Riley Scholarship, Olive Ferguson; Emily Latimer Prize for English Literature, Beryl Cantlon; Foster Memorial Prize for Mathematics, Beryl Cantlon; Foster Bequest Prize, Evelyn Shepherd; Diocesan School Scholarship, Form 4a, Muriel Mullins; Open Entrance Scholarships: 1st, Mabel Commins; 2nd, Elsa Predy.

Miss Latimer referred with regret to the death of the late Manager, the Rev. Canon Bailey, and also to the resignation of Miss Janie Sullivan, who retired this year after 20 years' service.

After the prize distribution a very enjoyable concert was contributed by the pupils, opening with the Irish choral number, "Babaro," by the Senior Choir, conducted by Mr. T. H. Weaving.

Those present included the Rev. W. J. Mayne, M.A., Manager; the Rev. Canon Hughes, M.A.; the Rev. R. Watson, M.A.; the Rev. Canon Strong, M.A.; Miss Barry, Miss Casserly, Mrs. Strong, Mrs. Barber, Mrs. Watson and Dr. McVittie.

# OBITUARY

### THE REV. WILLIAM PIKE, M.A.

The death took place at the Rectory, Thurles, yesterday of the Rev. William Pike, M.A., Precentor of Cashel Cathedral, who had been Rector of Thurles and Loughmoe since 1922. He entered Trinity College, Dublin, after being engaged in business for some time in the city, and graduated B.A. in 1896. In 1898 he was ordained for the curacy of Clonoulty, County Tipperary, and two years later became incumbent of Kilcooley.

The Rev. Mr. Pike married Miss Florence Surridge, of Dublin, in 1900. After spending three years at Kilcooley he returned to Clonoulty as Rector, and remained there until his appointment to Thurles in 1922. He became Precentor of Cashel Cathedral in 1930, and was Rural Dean of Thurles from 1924. The Rev. William Pike is survived by his wife, six sons, and four daughters.

Three of his sons are in the Ministry—the Rev. Robert is curate in Drumcree, Portadown; the Rev. Victor is Army Chaplain in Aldershot; and the Rev. St. John is curate in Dundrum, County Dublin. Two other sons, Andrew and Edward, are at present in the Government Administration in Tanganyika, East Africa. Some of the Rev. Mr. Pike's sons distinguished themselves at Rugby football, notably O. T. and the Rev. V. J., both of whom have represented Ireland against England, Scotland, and Wales. The Rev. William Pike was a brother of the Very Rev. Canon A. Pike, Rector of Clonoulty.

### MR. J. S. READE

The death of Mr. J. S. Reade, principal of the firm of J. T. Reade and Son, Donegall square, North, Belfast, flax and yarn merchants and insurance brokers, took place yesterday afternoon at his residence, Clonmore, Lisburn. He was one of the best-known and highly respected business men in Northern Ireland. He took a prominent part in public affairs. He was Secretary for many years of the Grand Orange Lodge of Belfast, and also filled the position of Grand Secretary of the Grand Orange Lodge of Ireland. He was also a member of the Masonic Order.

### MR. JOHN O'NEILL

Mr. John O'Neill, who died at his residence, St. John's, Castledermot, yesterday, in his ninety-second year, was a brother of the late Dr. Jeremiah O'Neill, a well-known medical practitioner in Athy for many years and Coroner for County Kildare. Mr. O'Neill was an uncle of Dr. Robert Farnan, and father of Dr. Desmond O'Neill, of Skegness, Lincolnshire, and Dr. Patrick O'Neill, attached to the Indian Army Medical Service. The late Mr. O'Neill was an extensive and successful farmer, and took a prominent part in the agrarian movement.

BANK CLERKSHIPS.
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# LAST NIGHT'S DANCES

## GATE THEATRE

Many persons interested in dramatic art in Dublin gathered in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night, for the annual dance of the Gate Theatre. About 700 guests were present, and about thirty tables of bridge had been arranged.

A special cabaret was arranged by the Gate Theatre Company, which took the form of a scene from "The Drunkard," and was presented by Michael MacLiammoir, Robert Hennessy and Edward Lexy, while Miss Kelly's Abbey School of Dancing gave a pleasing exhibition of dances.

The Countess of Longford was wearing a scarlet and gold embroidered coatee over her graceful gown of parchment lace. Lady Glenavy's distinctive gown was of almond green *moiré*. Lady Hemphill wore a smart white crepe gown, with a tailored coatee to match. Mrs. Reddin's gown was of leaf green marocain. Mrs. Kenneth Reddin was in a smart black taffeta gown. Mrs. Desmond Reddin wore a charming gown of ivory satin and diamante. Mrs. Sean MacEntee chose a gown of black satin, while Madame Goor was in a becoming black toilette.

A handsome brocaded coatee was worn by Mrs. Hugh Kennedy with a gown of black printed crepe. Mrs. Clancy was wearing brown net. Miss Alacoque Tunny looked well in black velvet, trimmed with a white feather ruffle. Miss Macerevy chose a lovely white crushed velvet gown. Black was worn by Mrs. Michael McCabe. Miss Eva Hackett was attired in black, with a pink velvet capelet, and Mrs. Cecil Lavery also chose black.

### THE ATTENDANCE

The company included:—The Earl of Longford, Lord Hemphill, the Lord Mayor of Dublin, Mr. N. Reddin, Mr. Sean Lemass, Miss Peter Ringwood, Dr. Burke, Dr. Desmond Reddin, Mr. Sean MacEntee, Mr. Kenneth Reddin, Mr. S. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Aistrop, Dr. and Mrs. J. Bigger, Colonel and Mrs. Morkin, Mr. C. Hackett, Mr. and Mrs. Esmonde, Mr. T. Widger, Mrs. Kevin O'Sheil, Mr. Alan Dempsey, Mrs. F. Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. Sean Kavanagh.

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Captain D. O'Sullivan, Mrs. George Cussen, Mrs. McGarry, Mrs. W. Reddy, Mrs. J. Burke, Miss Cantwell, Mrs. Brady, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Costello, Mrs. Coster, Miss N. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon, District Justice Cussen and Mrs. Cussen, the Hon. Patrick Campbell.

## WILLIAMS AND WOODS' STAFF

The annual staff dance of Messrs. Williams and Woods and Associated Companies took place last night in the Regal Rooms, Dublin, and proved a great success.

Mrs. J. O'Connor was wearing an attractive black lace gown. Mrs. Cunningham was gowned in brown velvet. Mrs. Frame also wore a brown toilette. Mrs. Berkley favoured one of the patterned crêpe-de-chine gowns. Plaid taffeta was worn by Mrs. Patterson. Mrs. Flett was in a pretty white lace gown. Mrs. Kay was wearing green velvet, and Mrs. Hennessy chose mauve velvet. A pretty pink net frock was worn by Miss Harris. Mrs. Campion came in white net. Miss E. Dawson chose a lovely silver lamé gown. Mrs. W. R. Martin's charming gown was of turquoise blue satin.

A graceful black velvet and silver gown was worn by Mrs. E. Kearon.

A pretty white taffeta gown was worn by Miss Buttle. Miss U. Buttle favoured a pale blue ensemble. Miss S. Dawson wore pink matalassé. Mrs. Duff was in white lace, and Miss Gordon wore a lovely gown of purple georgette. Pink lace was chosen by Miss Brady. Mrs. Thompson was wearing grey. Mrs. S. Schelfield wore blue with a silver tunic. Miss Goodbody was also attired in blue; Mrs. Griffiths in green tulle and lace, and Mrs. Kavanagh in a white frock.

Among those present were—The Lord Mayor of Dublin, Mr. R. Thompson (Chairman), Mrs. Thompson, Sir Thomas W. Robinson (Director), Lady Robinson, Mr. J. R. Gillespie, Miss D. Gordon, Dr. and Mrs. McLaverty, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Miss Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Frame, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell, Dr. Norah Maher, Dr. Harold Plunkett, Mr. A. H. Whiteside, Miss S. Huet, Miss V. Gourlay (secretary), Miss A. Redmond, Miss Jean Murtagh, Mr. Peyton M. Reynolds, J. Thompson, Miss Lee, Miss Evans, Mrs. Seery, Miss Florrie Slater, Miss E. Clarke, Mr. J. R. Gillespie, Mr. A. H. Brace, Mr. R. Phillipson, Mr. C. C. Clark, Mr. W. Annesley, Mr. W. G Robbie and Committee.

## CAVALRY CORPS DANCE

There were over 350 people at the Cavalry Corps annual dance held at the Curragh, County Kildare, last night. Among those present were:—Major Lawlor, Mrs. Lawlor, Mr. F. Aiken (Minister for Defence), Mrs. Aiken, Major-General and Mrs. Sweeney, Colonel and Mrs. Costello, Colonel and Mrs. Dunne, Major and Mrs. Egan, Major and Mrs. McNally, Madame Rock, Commandant and Mrs. Lawless, Commandant and Mrs. Gantly, Commandant and Mrs. Hannon, Commandant and Mrs. Fox, Commandant and Mrs. Hynes, Commandant and Mrs. Wedick, Commandant and Mrs. Flynn, Captain and Mrs. Byrne, Captain Slater, Captain and Mrs. Maine, Captain and Mrs. O'Hanlon, Captain and Mrs. Young, Captain and Mrs. Hegarty, Captain Kilkelly, Captain Coates, Lieutenant and Mrs. Heuston, Lieutenant and Mrs. McKeever, Captain and Mrs. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Lawlor, Captain Wall, Captain Hogan, Lieutenant and Mrs. Hoysted, Captain and Mrs. Tynan, Captain and Mrs. Swan.

# "THE MESSIAH"

## BROADCAST BY MR. BOHANE

In the course of a broadcast address on the forthcoming performance of "The Messiah" at the R.D.S., Ballsbridge, on Wednesday night next, from the Athlone and Dublin stations last night, Mr. Edward Bohane, Director of the R.D.S., recalled that it was in Dublin that Handel's great oratorio was first publically performed, in the Music Hall, Fishamble street, on April 13th, 1742. The success of the first performance in Dublin was followed by the production of the work in Covent Garden, London, on 23rd March, 1743, in the presence of King George II. The singing of the great "Hallelujah Chorus" so affected the listeners that the King and, with him, the whole audience rose to their feet and remained standing to the end of the chorus—a tribute to the grandeur of the music and the sublimity of the theme.

The proceeds of the first performance in Dublin were devoted to three great charitable institutions of that period—the Society for Relieving Prisoners, the Charitable Infirmary, and Mercer's Hospital. Most appropriately, Mercer's Hospital is this year celebrating the bi-centenary of its foundation.

The Royal Dublin Society was at the time of the first production of "The Messiah" ten years in existence, and a number of members assisted in the augmented chorus for the memorable production. It was, he thought, very fitting that the Royal Dublin Society should again to-day respond to the call, and, at the same time, play a part in assisting one of Dublin's great institutions—the Dublin Philharmonic Society—to bridge over what they all sincerely trusted might be a temporary difficulty occasioned by the loss of its home—the Theatre Royal—which had gone the way of many theatres and music halls in the march of the cinema and its productions.

The Main Hall at Ballsbridge is being transformed for the occasion into a great concert hall, with seating for 5,000, with special raised staging and platforms to accommodate a choir and orchestra of four hundred.

# A DOCTOR'S TWO POSTS

## HEALTH BOARD DISOBEYS MINISTER

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

*KILLARNEY, Friday.*

At Killarney Board of Health a letter was read from the Minister for Local Government stating that the Board had received a communication from the Appointments Commissioners recommending Dr. J. O'Sullivan for appointment as medical officer for Killarney No. 1 district, and that the Board adopted a resolution referring the matter to the Minister, in view of the fact that Dr. O'Sullivan already held the position of medical officer of Killarney Fever Hospital. It was the duty of the Board to appoint the person recommended by the Commissioners, and the question as to whether Dr. O'Sullivan could be allowed to hold the two offices concurrently was a matter which was under consideration by the Minister.

Mr. O'Neill said that the letter should be thrown back in the Minister's face. Dr. O'Donoghue (another applicant for the position) was a man who took out a rifle when Dr. O'Sullivan and Co. were studying in schools.

The Chairman (Miss Kate Breen) said it was at Dr. O'Donoghue's request they had sent the appointment to the Commissioners.

Dr. O'Donoghue—I asked you to send it because I could not get it otherwise, and I expected fair play from them. I don't think there are three other men in Ireland who would give two jobs to one man.

Chairman—We sent it to the Appointments Commissioners and we got our answer. There is where we are in the fix.

Mr. O'Neill—I move that we do not appoint Dr. O'Sullivan. Let us get the *mandamus*. Mr. Long seconded.

Mr. O'Leary proposed and Mr. O'Shea seconded that Dr. O'Sullivan be appointed.

The Secretary warned the Council, and said that everybody voting for Mr. O'Neill's motion would be mentioned as a special defendant in the case, and would be liable for all costs and any surcharge as a result of legal proceedings.

Mr. O'Neill then moved that Dr. O'Sullivan be not appointed until he resigned his position at the Fever Hospital.

Mr. Long seconded, and it was carried by five votes to two. The chairman did not vote.

# CHESS

### ARMSTRONG CUP MATCH

The Dublin Chess Club, holders of the Armstrong Cup for the past two years, visited Sackville yesterday to play off their tie against the Sackville Club, who in previous contests succeeded in winning the trophy on thirteen occasions. The following is the result:—

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| 3. H. N. Bowesman | 1 | P. J. Laracy ..... | 0 |
| 4. G. R. Haynes .. | 0 | N. H. Wallace ... | 1 |
| 5. G. H. Jacobs... | 0 | H. T. Twomey ... | 1 |
| 6. R. Clarke ..... | ½ | J. Barry Brown. | ½ |
| 7. C. Lloyd ..... | 0 | H. McIlwaine .... | 1 |
| 8. Default ..... | 0 | J. E. Beaven ... | 1 |
| | 2½ | | 5½ |

## LINEN DIRECTOR HONOURED

In recognition of his work on behalf of the Irish Linen Industry, Mr. John Gilliland, director of the Irish Linen Guild, has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London.

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AFTER THE WEDDING—Mr. Robin Beverley Sanders, elder son of Lieutenant-Colonel W. Orpen Sanders, D.S.O., and Mrs. Sanders, and Miss Phyllis Craig, only daughter of Mr. A. S. Craig (Under-Sheriff of Londonderry City and County) and Mrs. Craig, leaving Christ Church, Castlerock, Co. Londonderry, after their marriage on Wednesday.



COAL FUND—A group taken at the meeting of the Mansion House Coal Fund yesterday. Seated (left to right): Sir John Irwin, the Lord Mayor of Dublin and Alderman Hubbard Clark. Standing: Canon Flanagan, P.P.; Mr. G. Dick, Mr. M. A. Corrigan and Mr. R. H. Graham.



The Archbishop of Dublin presenting prizes at the Diocesan School for Girls, Adelaide road, Dublin, yesterday.



Members of the Industrial Credit Corporation who attended yesterday's annual meeting in Dublin. Included in the group are Mr. J. P. Colbert, Mr. J. F. Punch, Mr. T. Caffrey, Mr. J. J. O'Leary, Mr. L. J. Kettle, Mr. McElligott, Mr. J. E. Leydon, Mr. A. E. Smith, Mr. J. S. O'Connor, Mr. H. Briscoe, Mr. J. P. Reddy (Secretary), and Mr. M. M. Connor.



Tenement children formed the audience yesterday at the final dress rehearsal of the "Queen of Hearts" (from which above is the scene), which will be produced by the pupils of Alexandra School at prize day on Monday.



AN UNUSUAL VIEW—The lake in St. Stephen's Green Park, Dublin, presented an unusual aspect when it was drained yesterday for the annual cleaning of the basin.



Feeding pigeons in St. Stephen's Green Park, Dublin, yesterday. Some of the birds take food from the hand.



"THE KING'S BREAKFAST"—A sketch produced by the pupils of Glengara Park School, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, during the annual school concert last night.


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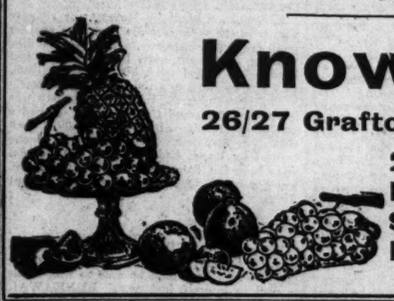
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## DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

### FINES FOR BESETTING

(BEFORE MR. HANNAN.)

The hearing was resumed of the case in which Patrick Quinn, Thomas Molloy, John Kilmurray, Denis Hughes and John Tynan, all with addresses in Thomas street, were charged with besetting the premises of Mr. Edmund C. Smith, grocer and provision merchant, 1 South Richmond street.

Mr. Smith, in reply to Mr. J. Clarke, Chief State Solicitor's office, who prosecuted, said that he had no dispute with his employés, to whom he gave a half-holiday every Wednesday. On the date in question he saw men carrying banners, some bearing the inscriptions—"Shop Early." "Abolish Slavery." "We Want Trade Union Hours." Two men entered the shop, and he invited them to have a cup of tea, as he was going to his tea. They said: "We dare not take it." In further conversation the men said that they would be put out of the union if they did not do what they were told.

Mr. Hannan imposed a fine of 20s. on each of the defendants.

### MONEY BY A TRICK

Christopher Campbell, no fixed address, was sent to prison for three months for obtaining the sum of £3 6s. 1d. by means of a trick from Thomas Perkins, manager of the Park street Cinema, Dundalk.

The evidence was that Campbell, who is an upholsterer, got the money from Mr. Perkins to buy material to be used in upholstering the cinema seats. The material was later found to be inferior to that which Mr. Perkins believed he was paying for.

Campbell pleaded guilty, but said that the amount involved was only 25s.

There was a number of previous convictions.

### BURGLARY CHARGE FAILS

Informations were refused in a case in which Thomas Bailey (32), no fixed address, was charged with breaking and entering the jewellery premises of Mr. Charles Church, 6 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire, and stealing jewellery value over £40, and also with breaking and entering the premises of Messrs. Browett, fruiterers and florists, 7 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire. It was stated that a quantity of the stolen jewellery had since been returned through the post.


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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

# THE TURN OF THE TIDE

## *Favourites Fare Better : Fine Display by Remus*

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

*HURST PARK, Friday Night.*

A COLD, drizzling rain was the unpleasant feature of the racing here to-day, but it had the unusual aspect that nearly all the winners were favourites or well-backed horses. In point of fact, there was only one winner that was not either favourite or joint favourite.

This was Mr. C. Graham's Dusty, who won the Osterley Handicap Hurdle Race so easily, and he was almost as well backed as the actual favourite, Corkaree, who weakened to nothing from the last hurdle, after he had been in the lead in the straight.

### Remus's Victory

Dusty had only just missed winning at Sandown, where he was beaten a head by Pook's Hill, but the softer going was in his favour here.

The "National" horse, Remus, was an easy winner of the Molesey Steeplechase, in which he had no difficulty in beating Lestebridge by five lengths. An ambitious young jockey, Vinall, on the little horse, Same Again, attempted to jump fence after fence with the gigantic Remus, but the attempt brought the little one down at the fence after the water. Remus went on jumping faultlessly as he generally does whether at Liverpool or anywhere else, and he made hacks of the opposition.

### In Great Trim

I have a great deal more faith in the jumping ability of Remus than in his capacity to stay the "National" course. If he keeps as well as he is now he is sure to be fancied at Liverpool again. He has never been better than he is at present, and his well-being is a tribute to the work of his young trainer, John Gosden.

Only five turned out for the Amateur Riders' Steeplechase, which was easily won by Mr. Walwyn on his own horse Ardrowan, a seven-year-old by Spion Kop, on whom, after lying last, he moved up between the last two and then beat Breconian cleverly.

Kakushin, whom Frank Hartigan bought to keep in the stable at the sale of the late Mr. Singer's horses last week, gave Sir Peter Grant Lawson anything but a good ride, and then finished last.

### Fell When Winning

Firework was an easy winner of the selling steeplechase from Bendennis, whose jockey forgot that he had to make another circuit of the course, and made to come on to the winning post until he was shooed back by the flagman.

Kirrimuir, a horse by Manna, was an easy winner of the selling hurdle race from another joint favourite, Scardroy. Stoic looked like winning this event until he fell at the last hurdle and rolled over his jockey, Wilson, who was not hurt and rode in the next race.

The best finish at Windsor yesterday was in the last race, and this afternoon we had a similar experience. It was only a short head that the favourite, Laos, a French horse trained by Poole, had to spare from Nisona, on whom the flat race jockey, A. Smirke, was having his first ride under National Hunt Rules.

### Selections

We may see KELLSBORO' JACK out to-morrow in the Lonsdale Handicap Steeplechase, which he should be able to win, as he is well in himself just now. BUNKAWAI, who beat Soliman's Feast last Saturday, should win the Marble Hill Hurdle, and the best in the Thames Handicap Hurdle may be FOBDOWN.

GALTEE MORE.

# THE LONSDALE 'CHASE

## *Confident Vote for Persian Sun : Oranstown Fancied*

SOME of the best-class 'chasers in training will be on view at Hurst Park to-day in the Lonsdale Handicap Steeplechase, including Kellsboro' Jack, the Grand National winner of last year. Mrs. Ambrose Clark's gelding will be much better suited by the three miles and 180 yards here than the two miles race he contested at Lingfield last month, his first outing of the season, and as I hear he has shown splendid form in home gallops I consider he has a bright chance of renewing acquaintance with the winners' enclosure.

This attractive jumper seems nicely treated on the same mark (12st.) as Brienz and Go Easy. Of this pair I prefer the former; for he has won his two races this season and is improving. Last time out Go Easy was third to Brienz, beaten just more than three lengths, but although he has a pull of 7lb. with Beeby's charge I doubt if he stays three miles in a true-run race.

Lacatoi, an Irish importation, should win good races for Mr. J. V. Rank this season. He got round safely at Kempton Park in his first race in England, and might gain a minor berth here at a long price. Jack Drummer and Tapinois have incurred penalties, and the former's success at Sandown was particularly impressive. He did not put a foot wrong throughout, and Thrale is pursuing the right policy in running him out for his engagements while he is at the top of his form.

Such as Sound Box, Persian Sun and Toroku lend considerable interest to the event, and I am convinced that Persian Sun is one of the picks of the handicap. He had 20lb. more to shoulder when third over a similar distance at Sandown to Bachelor Prince and Gomar. One of the keenest contested events of the season is promised, but I am quite content to take my chance with

**PERSIAN SUN,**

who may win from Kellsboro' Jack.

On the score of consistency Back Isle comes right into the argument for the Thames Handicap Hurdle. Over the distance at Kempton Park he finished second to No Earthly, among the unplaced division being Bright Armour, who has only a slight pull of 3lb. Antidote did not have much to beat at Fontwell Park, and at the weights might not do so well as

**DUSKY JACK.**

Indeed, there is nothing which makes so much appeal to me as Frank Hartigan's progressive four-year-old. Before running unplaced to Theolinpip at Newbury, he won two good races, and appears to be on an attractive mark with 10st. 5lb.

Either the Knight Templar or

**ORANSTOWN**

should win the Marble Hall Hurdle Race, and I prefer the latter on his second to Constable at Kempton, even though Earl's charge failed rather badly here yesterday.

I hear that Luckpenny has been well schooled with a view to the Priory Steeplechase, but I prefer

**SPIONAUD,**

an impressive winner at Windsor on Thursday.

# HUNTING REPORTS

## MEATH HOUNDS

Meeting at Mountainstown on last Thursday, the Meath brought off a great hunt of two and a quarter hours from Headstown. This good fox went away over Carnacop Hill nearly to Balsittrick and back through Julianstown to Headstown, then through Stephenstown to Castletown. Here the quarry lay down, but, jumping up just in front of hounds, ran back again by Headstown, and, crossing the river and the Julianstown road, pointed for Evans's farm, which he left on the right, and carried on through Cellar Glen to Cregg, and eventually ran hounds out of scent at Sallybrook. The furthest point was five miles, but hounds covered a big extent of country, and, as all the horses had had quite enough, home was the order.

Yesterday the meet was at Garadice. A fox found in Ferrans returned to the covert after going a short distance, and was killed there. One of a brace from Pratt's ran through Rathganly, and, leaving Ferrans well on the left, went on to Paddinstown, pointing for Agher. Turning left-handed, he crossed the Cool road, and was viewed just in front of hounds as he ran through Ballaghtogher, whence he recrossed the Cool road into Clarkstown, where he got to ground after a very good hunt of sixty-five minutes. Baltrasna held a brace, one of which was quickly killed, and the other went away pointing for Culmullen, but, changing his mind, swung to the left over the bottoms, and ran hounds out of scent. A local ring from Culmullen finished the day, during which scent was very bad.

## WARD UNION HOUNDS

The Ward Hounds had another excellent day's sport from their meet at Fairyhouse Bridge on last Wednesday. The enlargement took place on Mr. Moore's farm, opposite the racecourse, and, on hounds being laid on, they circled through Porterstown before crossing the road at Mr. Farrell's dairy farm. From here they ran fast through Herbertstown to Cheeverstown, and swung left-handed to Kilrue, where they checked near the fox covert, but, on recovering the line, hunted steadily through Harlockstown, almost to Ashbourne. Leaving the village on their left, they crossed the main road to Milltown and went on by Dunrea and across the Peter Simple course to Palmerstown. The light was beginning to fail as they hunted through Mr. Duffy's land at The Folly to Jordanstown, where the hind was safely taken after a fine hunt of two hours and twenty minutes over a grand line of country. The point made was just seven miles, but as hounds ran they must have covered more than twice that distance.

NORTH KILKENNY HOUNDS.—December—Tuesday, 18th, Woodsgift; Friday, 21st, Cooleshall, for Wellbrook; Monday, 24th, Kilrush; Friday, 28th, Kennels. January—Tuesday, 1st, Clontubrid Schoolhouse; Friday, 4th, Seven Crosses. At 11 o'clock.

SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN HARRIERS.—Change of Meet—These hounds will meet at Saggart to-day, instead of Crumlin Cross, as previously announced.

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## SCARTEEN HUNT

### ("BLACK AND TANS")

On Friday, December 7th, these hounds met at Monard. Ballykisteen was drawn blank, but there were a leash of foxes in Cullen. One of them was hunted in a short circle past Ratharo, and was run to ground short of Newtown House. Another fox in the same covert was run to ground within one hundred yards of the first. He was bolted and killed within two fields.

A good fox from Woodville ran back past the house and in a left-handed circle over the brook to Maclra, but turned left-handed again and past Ballyfookeen and over the Pallasgreen road to the railway, where he again turned left-handed. Here hounds checked for a few minutes, but later settled down and ran over the railway past Brackyle and on to Sunville. Here the fox was several times viewed to be dead beat trying to cross the new river, but by now it was getting quite dark, so hounds were stopped. Up to this it had been a good hound hunt of an hour and forty minutes.

From their Knocklong fixture on December 10th an outlier was found between Knocklong Chapel and the railway. He ran nicely nearly as far as Elton, having crossed the railway, but then turned back and got to ground short of the railway bridge. Another fox from Knocktoran tried the earth near the railway bridge, but, finding it stopped, turned back and over the Morning Star river and on past Darnstown to ground, not far short of Martinstown House. This was a sharp gallop of twenty-five minutes.

A fox found in Kilfrush ran past the house and left-handed in the direction of Hospital, but was killed before he got many fields from the demesne.

## HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

**THE WARD UNION.**

| December. | Meet. | Hour. |
|---|---|---|
| To-day | Donaghmore Cross-roads | 1.30 |
| Wednesday, 19th | Culmullen | 1.30 |
| Saturday, 22nd | Priestown Cross-roads | 1.30 |

**THE KILDARE.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To-day | Celbridge | 11. 0 |
| Tuesday, 18th | Straffan Station | 11. 0 |
| Thursday, 20th | Grange Con | 11. 0 |
| Saturday, 22nd | Courtown Gate | 11. 0 |

**THE MEATH.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Monday, 17th | Kilcarn Bridge | 11. 0 |
| Tuesday, 18th | Dunboyne | 11. 0 |
| Thursday, 20th | Carlanstown | 11. 0 |
| Friday, 21st | Rahinstown | 11. 0 |

WEXFORD HOUNDS.—Change of Meet—Friday, December 21st, Scar (instead of Kennels). At 11 o'clock.

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## SPECIAL SELECTIONS

*Daily Sketch* Double—Jack Drummer and Tom Oliver.

## CHANGE OF QUARTERS

Prince Paris has left Lambourn for India, and Maid of Essex has gone to the stud. Thanos, a winner at Windsor on Wednesday, has joined K. Goode's team at Lambourn.

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# HURST PARK PROGRAMME

**1.0—WEY SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. 2 m. 240 yds.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | Age | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| PRINCE OF ATHENS (Mr. G. Whitelaw) | Whitelaw | a | 12 | 7 |
| CAN'T GRUMBLE (Mr. W. Waits) | Petre | a | 12 | 6 |
| GROVELLA (Mr. Egerton) | Gosden | a | 12 | 6 |
| KIANG (Mr. J. Corbett) | Rayson | a | 11 | 12 |
| EAGLE'S PET (7lb. ex.) (Mr. F. Peek) | Pendarves | a | 11 | 7 |
| DUTCH GOLD (Mr. F. Collinson) | Collinson | a | 11 | 1 |
| YOUNG SPORT (Mr. G. Langlands) | Owner | a | 10 | 13 |
| NATIONAL PARTY (Mr. W. Withycombe) | Owner | 4 | 10 | 13 |
| ROCK BOTTOM (Mr. J. Pendarves) | Owner | a | 10 | 12 |
| BANNOCKBURN (Mr. M. Pass) | Willett | 6 | 10 | 0 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 130 | CAN'T GRUMBLE | Mr. R. Petre | 100/8 |
| 100 | GROVELLA | Owner | 100/8 |
| 024 | KIANG | G. Hardy | 9/2 |
| 001 | DUTCH GOLD | W. Parvin | 2/1 |
| 141 | EAGLE'S PET | W. Redmond | 9/2 |
| 312 | YOUNG SPORT | G. Wilson | 7/2 |
| 000 | ROCK BOTTOM | Mr. P. Herbert | 100/8 |

**1.30—SURBITON SELLING HURDLE RACE** of 150 sovs. For three-year-olds only. 2 m.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|
| RICHARD II. (Mr. B. Warner) | O. Anthony | 11 | 0 |
| GOOSE MEDAL (Mr. I. Z. Davis) | J. Wood | 11 | 0 |
| CONSTABLE (Mr. W. C. Earl) | Earl | 11 | 0 |
| GRUMBLING GINGER (Mr. James V. Rank) | W. Payne | 11 | 0 |
| ROSY SKY (Mr. D. Crossman) | R. Adams | 10 | 7 |
| ROCKET (Mr. B. D. Davis) | F. Hartigan | 10 | 7 |
| NEW LEAF (Mr. W. Edwards) | Thrale | 10 | 7 |
| ZANZIBAR (Capt. E. Elgee) | W. Nightingall | 10 | 7 |
| FLAMINIUS (Mr. G. Langlands) | Owner | 10 | 7 |
| KING'S COUNSELLOR (Mr. W. Payne) | Owner | 10 | 7 |
| TOURNEFEUILLE (Mr. F. E. Peek) | Hurt | 10 | 7 |
| COMMUTATOR (Mr. J. Pendarves) | Pendarves | 10 | 7 |
| BLACK POINTS (Mrs. E. M. Tabor) | Tabor | 10 | 7 |
| IN-YER-FOGG (Mr. T. Walton) | Butchers | 10 | 7 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 133 | RICHARD II. | G. Pellerin | 6/1 |
| 013 | GOOSE MEDAL | —— | 100/7 |
| 1 | GRUMBLING GINGER | J. Fawcus | 5/2 |
| 2 | ROSY SKY | S. Ingham | 5/1 |
| 02 | ROCKET | G. Wilson | 4/1 |
| | ZANZIBAR | J. Marshall | 100/7 |
| 00 | FLAMINIUS | —— | 100/7 |
| | KING'S COUNSELLOR | G. Hardy | 8/1 |
| 030 | TOURNEFEUILLE | J. Moloney | 100/7 |
| 004 | COMMUTATOR | W. Redmond | 100/7 |
| | BLACK POINTS | W. Heavy | 100/7 |
| 0 | IN-YER-FOGG | D. Butchers | 100/7 |

**2.0—LONSDALE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 500 sovs. 3 m. 180 yds.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | Age | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| KELLSBORO' JACK (Mrs. P. A. Clark) | I. Anthony | a | 12 | 0 |
| BRIENZ (Mr. G. Beeby) | Beeby | a | 12 | 0 |
| GO EASY (Miss V. Ellis) | W. Payne | a | 12 | 0 |
| JACK DRUMMER (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Roddick) | Thrale | 5 | 11 | 2 |
| CANTILLIUS II. (Mr. V. H. Smith) | Beeby | a | 11 | 0 |
| LACATOI (Mr. J. V. Rank) | Evans | 6 | 11 | 0 |
| TAPINOIS (7lb. ex.) (Mr. F. E. Peek) | Hurt | 6 | 10 | 13 |
| CRANFORD ST. ANDREW (Mr. Chesterman) | Dale | a | 10 | 12 |
| YOUTELL (Mr. P. Cazalet) | H. Whiteman | a | 10 | 7 |
| SOUND BOX (Mr. H. Beaufoy) | Law | a | 10 | 7 |
| PERSIAN SUN (Mr. H. B. Brandt) | James | a | 10 | 6 |
| QUITE CALM (Mr. R. E. Morel) | Roberts | a | 10 | 4 |
| MERCURY (Mrs. S. Saville) | J. Beary | a | 10 | 4 |
| TUSMORE (Mr. V. H. Smith) | Beeby | 6 | 10 | 4 |
| BROADWAS (Mr. H. D. Bazley) | R. Bennett | a | 10 | 4 |
| TOROKU (Mr. M. D. Blair) | Blair | 5 | 10 | 4 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 330 | KELLSBORO' JACK | D. Morgan | 9/2 |
| 311 | BRIENZ | J. Moloney | 7/2 |
| 213 | GO EASY | G. Hardy | 8/1 |
| 120 | LACATOI | J. Fawcus | 100/7 |
| 011 | JACK DRUMMER | F. Maxwell | 9/4 |
| 121 | TAPINOIS | G. Wilson | 10/1 |
| 203 | SOUND BOX | E. Vinall | 100/7 |
| 203 | PERSIAN SUN | A. Robson | 6/1 |
| 110 | MERCURY | M. Doherty | 100/7 |
| 030 | BROADWAS | —— | 100/8 |
| 002 | TOROKU | —— | 100/7 |

**2.30—PRIORY STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. 2 m. 240 yds.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | Age | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SAME AGAIN (Mr. H. Beaufoy) | Law | 6 | 12 | 5 |
| SPIONAUD (Mr. Eric Platt) | Poole | 6 | 12 | 5 |
| JACK O' GLEN (Mr. A. S.-Bingham) | Pease | 6 | 11 | 9 |
| OLD ORKNEY (Mr. J. J. Murphy) | Sneyd | a | 11 | 9 |
| REDECISION (Miss D. Paget) | Briscoe | a | 11 | 9 |
| BROWN BALL (Major Evans) | Woodland | 6 | 11 | 9 |
| KNIGHT OF THE MIST (Mr. W. J. Kelly) | Owner | 6 | 11 | 9 |
| BLACK KITE (Mrs. A. Law) | A. Law | a | 11 | 9 |
| LESTER BOY (Mr. H. B. Brandt) | James | 5 | 11 | 7 |
| LUCKPENNY (Mr. J. W. Maiden) | Dick | 5 | 11 | 7 |
| DOUBLE OPTION (Mr. F. E. Peek) | Hurt | 5 | 11 | 7 |
| MORSE CODE (Capt. Bridges) | I. Anthony | 5 | 11 | 7 |
| LINDBERGH (Capt. Westmacott) | Gosden | 5 | 11 | 7 |
| MILLS (Capt. C. N. Brownhill) | Thrale | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| DUNHILL CASTLE (Sir W. Chilcott) | Private | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| TOLSTOI (Mrs. Livingstone) | G. Langlands | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| HEAVY (Capt. L. Montagu) | Earl | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| TOM OLIVER (Mr. R. E. Morel) | Roberts | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| SUNBEE (Mr. Arthur Sainsbury) | C. Langlands | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| TSAREVITCH (Mr. Vallance) | Hurt | 4 | 10 | 12 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 101 | SPIONAUD | G. Hardy | 3/1 |
| 000 | OLD ORKNEY | M. Barry | 100/7 |
| 040 | BROWN BALL | W. Parvin | 8/1 |
| 2 | KNIGHT OF THE MIST | —— | 13/2 |
| 000 | LESTER BOY | —— | 100/7 |
| 111 | LUCKPENNY | T. Isaac | 11/4 |
| 00 | LINBERGH | J. Hamey | 100/7 |
| 300 | TOLSTOI | —— | 100/7 |
| 300 | HEAVY | G. Wilson | 9/2 |
| 000 | TOM OLIVER | D. L. Jones | 100/7 |

**3.0—THAMES HANDICAP HURDLE RACE** of 150 sovs. 2 m.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | Age | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BOIBELL (Mr. Sainsbury) | C. Langlands | 4 | 12 | 1 |
| STRAIGHT LARCH (Mrs. Jones) | J. Wood | 4 | 12 | 0 |
| HENRI'S CHOICE (Mr. Warner) | O. Anthony | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| BRIGHT SPARK (Lady Lyon) | Earl | 5 | 11 | 11 |
| COME AGAIN (10lb. ex.) (Sir E. Wills) | Nugent | 4 | 11 | 10 |
| BACK ISLE (Mrs. C. Jones) | Roberts | 6 | 11 | 8 |
| BRIGHT ARMOUR (Mrs. Livingstone) | G. Langlands | 5 | 11 | 8 |
| KYLES OF BUTE (Mr. J. Baylis) | G. Wilson | 4 | 11 | 7 |
| JONATHAN BUTTALL (Mrs. Broomfield) | W. Nightingall | 6 | 11 | 6 |
| ANTIDOTE (Mr. T. Richards) | Vick | 5 | 11 | 2 |
| FOBDOWN (Mr. J. Reardon) | J. Reardon | 4 | 11 | 1 |
| HURLY BURLY (Capt. Westmacott) | Gosden | a | 11 | 1 |
| ACCOLADE (Mr. T. F. Hanbury) | Nugent | 4 | 11 | 0 |
| ADVENTURESS (Mr. N. Prinsep) | Duller | 5 | 11 | 0 |
| ISLANDBRIDGE (Mr. G. Roddick) | Thrale | 6 | 10 | 13 |
| COROT (Mrs. G. N. Bennett) | G. Bennett | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| GROUND SWELL (Mr. F. Pirie) | Collinson | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| GREEK PIE (Mr. P. Kindersley) | Poole | 4 | 10 | 12 |
| GREAT DANE (Mr. W. Murray) | Norris | 4 | 10 | 11 |
| SEGESTA (Comdr. J. McCowen) | Hedges | a | 10 | 10 |
| SHIPBOURNE (Mr. P. Cazalet) | H. Whiteman | 6 | 10 | 8 |
| WANDERING WING (Miss E. Dykes) | Private | 6 | 10 | 6 |
| DUSKY JACK (Baron de Tuyll) | F. Hartigan | 4 | 10 | 5 |
| FROZEN GOLD (Mrs. Young) | H. Young | 6 | 10 | 3 |
| BLACK KITE (Mrs. A. Law) | Law | a | 10 | 3 |
| PRINCE ALLOWAY (Mr. Sadler) | Butchers | 4 | 10 | 2 |
| UNCANNY (Mr. C. Bostwick) | I. Anthony | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| THE BLACKSMITH (Capt. Vivian) | Vivian | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| NELSON II. (Mrs. d'Avila de Pena) | Hedges | a | 10 | 0 |
| MISS BEECH (Mr. T. R. Leader) | Owner | 4 | 10 | 0 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 102 | BACK ISLE | —— | 6/1 |
| 001 | BRIGHT ARMOUR | J. Moloney | 5/2 |
| 00 | KYLES OF BUTE | G. Pellerin | 100/7 |
| 331 | ANTIDOTE | W. Stott | 8/1 |
| 410 | FOBDOWN | G. Hardy | 100/7 |
| 000 | HURLY BURLY | J. Goswell | 100/7 |
| 100 | ACCOLADE | Owner | 100/7 |
| 210 | ADVENTURESS | —— | 10/1 |
| 002 | GROUND SWELL | S. Ingham | 9/2 |
| 230 | GREAT DANE | F. Maxwell | 100/8 |
| 110 | DUSKY JACK | G. Wilson | 100/30 |
| 200 | NELSON II. | Mr. Maudsley | 100/7 |

**3.30—MARBLE HILL HURDLE RACE** of 200 sovs. 2 m.

| Horse (Owner) | Trainer | Age | st. | lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BUNKAWAI (Mr. W. Edwards) | Thrale | 4 | 12 | 5 |
| BLIND BOWBOY (Mr. G. H. Bostwick) | I. Anthony | 6 | 12 | 2 |
| STARS AND STRIPES (Mr. Clark) | R. Hobbs | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| ROYAL PROGENY (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) | Pope | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| PLUNDER (Mr. J. Rank) | Evans | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| SOLIMAN'S FEAST (Mr. J. Rank) | W. Payne | a | 12 | 2 |
| MORNING CAW (Wing-Com. Read) | Read | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| DARK SIMON (Mrs. D. Rogers) | N. Furlong | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| ESPOIR IV. (Mrs. J. Russell) | T. R. Leader | 6 | 12 | 2 |
| ORANSTOWN (Capt. Westmacott) | Gosden | 5 | 12 | 2 |
| OVERLEAF (Mr. S. Wilkinson) | G. Jackson | a | 12 | 2 |
| THE BEAR (Mr. G. Bennett) | G. Bennett | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| PROTOMARTYR (Mr. A. Boxall) | Boxall | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| SOME CATCH (Mr. F. Brown) | Willett | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| MA-CHIN-ON (Comdr. Crespigny) | Tabor | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| CROSS WIND (Mr. J. V. Rank) | Evans | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| BRILLIANT JACK (Mr. C. W. Langlands) | Owner | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| TULLAMAINE CASTLE (Mrs. Lewis) | Private | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| VI VICTRESS (Mrs. C. A. Lundy) | J. Beary | 4 | 11 | 13 |
| FOXBRIDGE (Mr. J. V. Rank) | Coulthwaite | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| MILTOI (Mrs. V. D. Sainsbury) | Holland | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| DRACULA (Mr. V. H. Smith) | Beeby | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| PUCK-EAR (Mr. F. Templeman) | Owner | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| GIPSY LAD (Mr. T. Walton) | Butchers | 4 | 11 | 12 |
| THE KNIGHT TEMPLAR (Mr. M. Stephens) | Blair | 3 | 11 | 3 |

| Form. | Probable Starters | Jockeys. | Betting Forecast. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 201 | BUNKAWAI | S. Ingham | 9/2 |
| 0 | BLIND BOWBOY | D. Morgan | 7/1 |
| 02 | ORANSTOWN | G. Hardy | 2/1 |
| 00 | THE BEAR | Mr. F. Walwyn | 100/7 |
| 0 | PROTOMARTYR | W. Parvin | 100/7 |
| | CROSS WIND | J. Fawcus | 10/1 |
| 10 | BRILLIANT JACK | H. Nicholson | 7/1 |
| 00 | VI VICTRESS | —— | 100/7 |
| | MILTOI | W. Hollick | 100/7 |
| 0 | GIPSY LAD | D. Butchers | 100/7 |
| 010 | THE KNIGHT TEMPLAR | G. Wilson | 7/2 |

### TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

Wey Steeplechase—**Young Sport.**
Surbiton Hurdle — **Grumbling Ginger**; if absent, **Rocket.**
Lonsdale Steeplechase—**Persian Sun** (nap).
Priory Steeplechase—**Spionaud.**
Thames Hurdle—**Dusky Jack.**
Marble Hurdle—**Oranstown.**

**TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.**
**Persian Sun and Oranstown.**

## HURST PARK RESULTS

**1.0—AMATEURS' HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. 2 m. 240 yds.
Mr. F. T. Walwyn's b. g. ARDROWAN, by Spion Kop—Rowan, a, 11-1...Mr. F. Walwyn 1
Mr. D. Llewellyn's BRECONIAN, a, 10-2 ...Mr. E. Bowen 2
Mr. P. Herbert's COURTESY, a, 10-9 ...Mr. P. Herbert 3

Also ran:—Kakushin (Sir P. Grant Lawson), Vicar's Cross (Mr. G. Wood). (Winner trained by Warden.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. ARDROWAN, 100 to 30 Kakushin, 7 to 2 Vicar's Cross, 11 to 2 Courtesy, 10 to 1 Breconian.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 5/9; places, 3/3, 6/6.

Won by three-quarters of a length; four lengths. Vicar's Cross was fourth.

**1.30—LALEHAM SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. 3 m. 180 yds.
Mr. H. W. Blyth's b. g. FIREWORK, by Sky Rocket—Hollandia, 6, 12-7...G. Hardy 1
Mr. C. W. Langland's BENDENNIS, a, 10-0 ...E. Taylor 2
Mr. J. R. Canty's HIPPOLYTUS, a, 10-3 ...D. McCarthy 3

Also ran:—Gobelin (K. Piggott), Koscie's Star (G. Wilson), Caramond (A. Scratchley). (Winner trained by Rayson.)

Betting—11 to 4 agst. FIREWORK, 3 to 1 Bendennis, 100 to 30 Gobelin, 9 to 2 Koscie's Star, 10 to 1 Hippolytus, 100 to 8 Caramond.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 8/6; places, 4/-, 4/9.

Won by ten lengths; two lengths. No bid for the winner. Only three finished.

**2.0—OSTERLEY HANDICAP HURDLE RACE** of 300 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. C. Graham's b. g. DUSTY, by Planet—Dust, a, 10-0 ...J. Fawcus 1
Miss D. Paget's SIR CRISPEN, a, 9-11 ...J. Baxter 2
Mr. Arthur Sainsbury's GOLDEN ACRE, 4, 10-12 ...S. Ingham 3

Also ran—Corkaree (G. Wilson), And How (D. Butchers), Mustard Club (T. McNeill), Lady Gay (J. Moloney), Chef de Musique (W. Stott). (Winner trained by Dale.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Corkaree, 9 to 4 DUSTY, 7 to 1 each Sir Crispen and Lady Gay, 10 to 1 each Golden Acre, Mustard Club and And How, 20 to 1 Chef de Musique.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 6/3; places, 3/-, 6/-, 7/-.

Won by one length; three lengths. Corkaree was fourth and Chef de Musique last.

**2.30—CHESSINGTON MAIDEN (S.) HURDLE** of 150 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. C. S. Green's b. g. KIRRIMUIR, by Manna—Blairtoi, 3, 10-7 ...K. Piggott 1
Capt. L. Montagu's SCARDROY, a, 12-2 ...G. Archibald 2
Mrs. E. M. Tabor's SANGUINOLE, 5, 11-11 ...W. Heavey 3

Also ran—Bray Child (R. Morgan), Douglas (Colin Richards), Prosperity (M. Barry), Torlaria (J. Hamey), Norwood Hill (H. Nicholson), The Masher II. (E. Taylor), Galley of Lorne (G. Hardy), Galen (T. Elder), Solein (Mr. F. Walwyn), Sea Urchin (D. McCarthy), June Rose (S. Ingham), Stoic (G. Wilson), French Bean (J. Fitzgerald), Farival (D. Morgan), Hotch Potch (J. Fawcus). (Winner trained by E. Piggott.)

Betting—9 to 2 each agst. June Rose, Scardroy and KIRRIMUIR, 8 to 1 Stoic, 9 to 1 Hotch Potch, 10 to 1 Galley of Lorne, 100 to 8 Galen, 20 to 1 any other.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 13/9; places, 5/9, 4/3, 9/6.

Won by six lengths; four lengths. The Masher II. was fourth and June Rose last.

The winner was bought in for 150 gns.

**3.0—MOSELEY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 200 sovs. 3 m. 180 yds.
Mr. A. E. Berry's b. g. REMUS, by By George!—Ilia, a, 12-7 ...J. Hamey 1
Mr. H. T. de Vere Clifton's LESTEBRIDGE, 6, 11-10 ...H. Nicholson 2
Mr. G. Freeman's NEWS ITEM, 6, 10-8 ...T. Elder 3

Also ran:—Sanpere (J. Moloney), Youtell (Mr P. Cazalet), Lynton (J. Moulton), Miss Gaynus (G. Wilson), Same Again (E. Vinall). (Winner trained by Gosden.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. REMUS, 4 to 1 Same Again, 7 to 1 Lestebridge, 8 to 1 News Item, 10 to 1 each Sanpere and Lynton, 100 to 8 any other.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 4/6; places, 2/6, 4/6, 4/3.

Won by five lengths; four lengths. Lynton was fourth and Miss Gaynus last.

**3.30—SURREY HURDLE RACE** of 150 sovs. Three-year-olds. 2 m.
Mr. R. Cartwright's ch. c. LAOS, by Ksar—Lodz, 11-0 ...G. Hardy 1
Mrs. F. O. Bezner's NISONA, 11-0...A. Smirke 2
Mr. Z. G. Michalino's MILANO, 11-0..D. Morgan 3

Also ran:—Constable (G. Archibald), Frobisher (Mr. Walwyn), Indestructible (J. Marshall), Fair Toll (C. Richards), Athenia II. (S. Ingham), Mallin (T. Elder), Trelissick (J. Dodd), Que Tal (M. Prendergast), Khris Kingle (T. Morgan), Burnham Junior (K. Piggott), Polariscope (W. Parvin). (Winner trained by Poole.)

Betting—100 to 30 agst. LAOS, 7 to 2 Athenia II., 5 to 1 Constable, 8 to 1 each Nisona, Milano and Indestructible, 10 to 1 Burnham Junior, 100 to 7 Frobisher, 20 to 1 any other.

**Tote** (2/-)—Win, 9/3; places, 3/9, 8/-, 6/-.

Won by a short head; a length and a half. Athenia II was fourth and Que Tal last.

**TOTE DOUBLE** (10/- stake).—Dusty and Remus—Dividend, £4 6/-. Pool, £1,312 10/-. 274 winning tickets.

SQUASH RACKETS

## ANOTHER CAMBRIDGE WIN OVER OXFORD

Cambridge won another sporting event—their third this week—when they defeated Oxford in the squash rackets match at the Bath Club, London, yesterday, by four matches to one. There was a remarkable game between the respective captains, D. O. Wilson (Oxford) and J. A. Gillies (Cambridge). Wilson won by 9-2, 9-7, 8-10, 1-9, 10-8, but he was within a point of the match on no fewer than seven occasions. Five of these were during the third game, and, although Gillies rallied well and drew level, he was ultimately beaten after 18 points in the fifth game.

N. W. Yardley, of Cambridge, the North of England champion, beat R. Pulbrook by three games to one, A. P. O'Connor (Cambridge) beat M. McLaren three games to two; C. Bewicke (Cambridge) beat E. A. Clarke 3-0, and P. C. Couran (Cambridge) beat R. C. Riseley 3-1.

GOLF

# AN IMPORTANT DECISION

## *The General Purposes Fund of the G.U.I.*

BY OUR GOLF CORRESPONDENT.

FOR some years the Shilling Fund has been engaging the attention of the Golfing Union of Ireland. Originally, it was suggested that to ensure the success of the Open Championship of Ireland every member of an affiliated club should be asked to add one shilling to his annual subscription. Many of the clubs approved of the proposal; others opposed it. But the Open Championship Committee made a huge success of the event.

The Union then decided to make it a General Purposes Fund, and to request the clubs to add the extra shilling *per* member for the purposes of that Fund. Requesting some clubs to do onything out of the ordinary routine, even for the upkeep of the Union, is quite different to saying it must be done.

I have more than once, when writing of this Fund, urged the necessity of going further than merely making "requests" and expressing pious hopes. To achieve the objects that are uppermost in the minds of our legislators, to carry through the progressive schemes that it is confidently hoped will still further develop and popularise Irish golf, the building up of a substantial General Purposes Fund is of paramount importance. The time had to come when the Union would have to say to the clubs we want the money and we are going to get it.

### THE PENALTY OF FAILURE

That is what the Central Council has now resolved on, but a big concession has been made to the clubs. A year ago the Central Council put before the four branches a revised scheme of subscription to the Union. The reports from the Branches were considered at last Monday's meeting of the Council in Dublin, and the decision was unanimously taken "that, as from January 1st next, the annual club subscription would be reduced by one-third, but that each affiliated club shall be responsible for the handing over to the Hon. Treasurer of the Union, at or before the end of its financial club year, a sum of one shilling in respect of each male member, to be credited to the General Purposes Fund of the Union. In reckoning the number of such members, no one should be included at more than one club, which should be his home club.

Failure to observe this obligation shall be treated by the Central Council as a reason for cancellation of a club's membership of the Union."

The decision of the Central Council, which could as easily have been arrived at two years ago as now, ensures the complete success of the fund. For the golfer it means an extra expenditure of one penny *per* month, but with one hundred and ninety-six clubs in affiliation with the Union, and a male membership (a few years ago) of twenty-two thousand—well, the Golfing Union of Ireland should in a few years be on the crest of the wave.

### THE COMMITTEES

The official report of the meeting also sets out that—

The hon. treasurer's statements of accounts showed an excess of income over expenditure amounting to £367. The following officers were re-elected:—President—D. Wilson Smyth. Hon. Secretary—Alan B. Kidd. Hon. Treasurer—C. S. Harden. Auditor—T. H. Mayes, C.A., Belfast.

The Standing Committee, consisting of the president, hon. secretary, hon. treasurer, vice-president for Leinster, and the hon. secretary to the four provincial branches, was re-elected. The following were appointed on the Selection Committee to select international teams:—H. M. Cairnes, C. S. Harden, J. Henderson, Alan B. Kidd, J. G. Musgrave, P. O'Flynn, D. Wilson Smyth and T. P. Toher.

The Management of Championships Committee, consisting of the hon. secretary and hon. treasurer of the Union, with two members nominated by the local club, was also re-elected, and the existing delegates to the Joint Advisory Council of the British Golf Unions—C. S. Harden, J. Henderson and Alan B. Kidd—were re-elected.

In connection with the Irish Open Championship, it was resolved that the handicap for amateurs in future will be limited to a club handicap not exceeding "3."

It was decided to award to members of the international team a Union tie in addition to the blazer badge.

### ROYAL DUBLIN CLUB'S JUBILEE YEAR

The oldest in the Irish Free State and second in seniority of the clubs of Ireland to Royal Belfast, Royal Dublin will, next year, celebrate its jubilee, having been founded in 1885, writes our Golf Correspondent, who understands that the captain and committee for 1935 are to mark the occasion in an appropriate manner.

The captain, Major Plews, and his committee have not discussed the subject except casually, but the general body of the members expect that the jubilee year will be celebrated in a way that will appeal, not only to the members of the Royal Dublin, but to the golfers of the country generally.

Next year's fixture list is an exceptionally heavy one, so far as meetings of major importance are concerned; but May is a blank month for the men, and, as the golf writer points out in to-day's *Irish Field*, it would be possible for the club to hold a big event in that month that would serve admirably as a curtain-raiser, and attract to Dollymount for a few days the leading players of the country.

### CLUB NOTICES

**ST. ANNE'S.**
To-morrow — Hamper competition, fourball, bogey; arrange partners and opponents.

**TULLAMORE.**
Fourball foursome, qualified for next round—H. J. Tipping and H. Gardner; F. Lane and P. J. Sheehy; W. E. Moulton and P. Conlon; F. Slattery and J. Wrafter; D. Williams and J. Hanlon. Next round to be completed by 16th. To-day and to-morrow — Stroke, 18 holes, for Christmas hamper.

**KILLINEY.**
To-day — Turkey competition, 9 holes bogey. Saturday next—Hamper competition.

**CASTLE.**
To-day—Christmas hamper competition.

**DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN).**
Ladies' Branch.—Medal finals—Class I., Mrs. Halligan (15), 86; Mrs. Keates (13), 87. Class II., Mrs. McIntyre (21), 85; Mrs. Walters (29), 85. Mrs. Walters wins on 2nd nine holes. Entries close for American tournament on December 20th.

**WOODBROOK.**
To-morrow—Christmas hamper, fourball, bogey.

**CLONTARF.**
To-day—Turkey competition, 9 holes, strokes. Wednesday next—Crawford Cup.

**SUTTON.**
To-day—Turkey competition, 9 holes, strokes.

**BUNDORAN.**
Turkey competition, 18 holes, stroke—M. R. Wilson (22), 1; E. P. Condon (10), 2. Christmas hamper—Wednesday next (close) at 2 p.m., 18 holes, stroke.

**TOBACCO TRADE G.S.**
At the annual general meeting the following officers were elected:—President, W. J. Carroll (re-elected); Vice-Presidents, G. S. Spratt, J. H. Cooper, G. Hamlet, P. C. Gore (re-elected); Captain, O. Hanratty; Hon. Treasurer, J. F. Bridgman (re-elected); Hon. Secretary, Geo. Mahon (re-elected); Committee, P. J. Prestony, H. Jones, J. H. Keith, L. C. Gogan, T. Pike, S. W. Lee, D. Bridgman, P. Hennessy.

**MILLTOWN.**
To-day—Christmas hamper, first 9 holes, bogey.

**LUCAN.**
To-day and to-morrow—Christmas hamper, 18 holes, fourball, bogey. Draws from 10 o'clock; last draw 2 o'clock.

**HOWTH.**
To-morrow—Christmas hamper competition, men's fourball, bogey.
Ladies' Branch—To-day, December medal, 9 holes. Draws off 1.30, 2.0, 2.30 trains. Morning draw, 10.30.

**GRANGE.**
To-day—Hamper competition, Scotch foursomes, 9 holes, strokes; arrange opponents. Hamper draw closes to-morrow, 6 p.m.
Ladies' Branch — 9 holes sweepstake, stroke. Class I., Mrs. Rose (rec. 4½), 38½; Class II., Miss Goulding (rec. 14), 42.

GOLF.—Royal Dublin Club's Jubilee Year; The Progress of Ladies' Golf. See to-day's issue of "THE IRISH FIELD."—(Advt.)

LAWN TENNIS

### THE LEINSTER COUNCIL

At the first meeting of the Leinster Council the following election took place:—President, Mr. A. H. Walsh; vice-president, Mr. R. A. C. Barrett; hon. secretary, Mr. H. R. Maunsell; hon. treasurer, Mr. C. S. Almond.

Representatives on the General Council—Messrs. Almond, Barrett, Barry, Dawson, Daly, Egan, Ferguson, Harte-Barry, Walsh, White, and Mrs. Price.

Coaching Committee—Messrs. Barrett, Dawson, Daly, Egan, Ferguson, Harte-Barry, and Mrs. Price.

Selection Committee—Messrs. Barry, Dawson, Healy, Walsh, with Mrs. Price as an additional selector for ladies' matches.

### OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

Thames Handicap Hurdle, Hurst Park—Deerstalker and Pahokee.

All engagements in Mr. T. Lant's name—Sally Gray.

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HOCKEY

# LEINSTER FINAL TRIAL

## *Keen Struggle for Places in To-day's Match*

BY OUR HOCKEY CORRESPONDENT.

THE Leinster final trial takes place today at Londonbridge road, and, with several places very open on the interprovincial side, an extremely keen and interesting game should be seen. On paper there is little between the defences. Worrall, on his day, can be a brilliant goalkeeper, but it will be surprising if he can displace the consistent Gibson. Wilson is the most polished of the full backs, but Legge and O'Donoghue, with their height and weight, are going to be a difficult pair to get past. A certain risk has been taken in playing Craig on the right, as he has always been on the left for the last three seasons, but he knows Wilson's play, and this should be a considerable help to him.

The Whites, or Probables, should hold their chief advantage at half-back, where Coulson can be relied upon to dominate the right side of the field. Pilkington only needs a little more punch in attack to come into line for a place on the Irish team at centre-half, while Knight has been playing really well for Railway at left half. The Blues' halves are all hard workers, and McMullan may prove more constructive than Knight, but the three will have a stiff task to-day.

### FORWARDS COMPARED

The Whites' attack will have the advantage of speed. Chief danger will come from Dagg and MacVeagh on the left, and if they can provide the openings MacDonogh should take advantage of them. He is in good shooting form at present. Howe's speed on the right will keep McMullan well occupied. If Byrne strikes the form which has been lacking so far, Blues will be a useful line; for C. Sully can certainly make the openings, but slowness on the right may prove a big handicap. Cairnes and Sloan will make an interesting partnership. The former has been in capital form since he has come over from England, and, apart from his skill in giving through passes, he will require close marking near the circle. Sloan should get good support, but he will have a difficult task against Coulson. The selectors will be considerably relieved if Whites win, and win decisively, but a very close match is more likely.

There are only two League matches down for decision. The joint leaders, Pembroke Wanderers, even without P. J. Dolan and McMullan, should take the points from Monkstown at Serpentine avenue, while Three Rock Rovers, with four men on the trial, may find Dalkey too much of a handful.

### TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

**LEINSTER FINAL TRIAL.**
Whites v. Blues; Londonbridge road, 2.30.

**SENIOR LEAGUE.**
Three Rock Rovers v. Dalkey; Templeogue, 2.45. H. Bollard and T. McKee.
Pembroke Wanderers v. Monkstown; Serpentine avenue, 3.0. T. P. Waters and L. Morrison.

**MIDDLE "A."**
Pembroke Wanderers 3rd v. Dalkey; Serpentine avenue, 1.45. P. Doris and R. A. Wilmot.
Dublin University 3rd v. Three Rock Rovers 2nd; Londonbridge road. T. Sidney and C. Bruton.
Naas 2nd v. Corinthians 2nd; Naas. J. Wheeler.

**MIDDLE "B."**
Railway Union 3rd v. Grangegorman; Park avenue. F. Lynch and R. W. Keegan.
Civil Service 1st v. Dublin University 2nd; Kimmage. J. Thunder and G. Bruton.
College of Surgeons v. Portrane; Clonskea; W. E. Gibson.
Avoca 2nd v. St. James's Gate; Blackrock. F. Gray and A. T. Keegan.

**MIDDLE "C."**
Lido v. Civil Service 2nd; The Stiles. A. G. McIntosh and W. Andrews.
Brookville v. Pembroke Wanderers 2nd; Artane. T. Beegan and N. C. Murray.
Y.M.C.A. 2nd v. Railway 2nd; Claremont road, 1.45. X. Browner.

**INTERMEDIATE "A."**
Y.M.C.A. 3rd v. Imperial Tobacco 2nd; Claremont road, 3 p.m.; K. Browner.
Fingal 1st v. Corinthians 3rd; Ballymun road.
Fairview C.Y.M.S. v. K.G.S.; Fairview. W. Carte.
St. Moibhi's v. Ierne 1st; Phœnix Park R. E. Morley.

**INTERMEDIATE "B."**
Dalkey 3rd v. St. James's Gate 2nd; Stradbrook. S. Sweetnam.
Portrane 2nd v. Coolock; Portrane.
Mountjoy v. Leixlip; Clontarf. J. Donovan and T. Wogan.
North Kildare v. St. Kevin's; Kilcock. J. S. Lemon.

**JUNIOR.**
Railway 4th v. St. Kevin's 2nd; Clonskeagh. R. W. Smyth.
Ierne 2nd v. Bray Rovers 2nd; Richmond road.
Dalkey 4th v. Pembroke Wanderers 4th; Stradbrook.
Dublin University 4th v. Civil Service 3rd, 1.45.
Monkstown 3rd v. Lido 2nd; R. Wolfe.
Three Rock Rovers 4th v. Fingal 2nd.

### TEAMS

WHITES—C. W. Gibson (Corinthians); J. K. Craig (Dublin University), L. C. Wilson (Imperial Tobacco Co.); D. J. Coulson (Dublin University) (capt.), R. K. Pilkington (Three Rock Rovers), H. Knight (Railway Union); J. M. Howe (Three Rock Rovers), F. Duke (Corinthians), J. A. MacDonogh, T. B. Dagg (Dublin University), T. G. McVeagh (Three Rock Rovers).

BLUES—A. Worrall (Y.M.C.A.); H. G. Legge (Monkstown), M. C. O'Donoghue (Railway Union); J. Darcy (Naas), V. Sanderson (Y.M.C.A.), L. D. McMullan (Pembroke Wanderers); T. Browner, C. Sully, R. J. Byrne (Railway Union), J. E. Cairnes (Three Rock Rovers) (capt.), H. F. Sloan (Dublin University).

Monkstown 1st—H. Kells; S. Williams, G. Darcus; P. D. McWeeney, E. B. Gray, G. Bailey; H. Graham, W. Brewster, I. A. Dormer, J. S. Brewster, G. Kells.

Pembroke Wanderers—N. McNeill; E. E. Spence, C. J. Little; S. J. Doyle (capt.), R. T. Rafter, A. G. Trapnell; O. V. Mooney, R. P. Marlin, G. B. Martin, R. Power, F. B. O'Kelly.

Pembroke Wanderers 2nd—C. James; J. Havelin, P. J. Lennon; G. C. Mulragh, A. P. Hearnden (capt.), K. Keane; H. F. Flewitt, G. W. Beegan, E. P. Mara, J. J. O'Donnell, K. P. Martin. (Meet at Corinthian Picture Home at 1.50 sharp. Play in white).

Pembroke Wanderers 3rd—E. W. Kendrick; T. A. McDonald, V. Owens; P. Deering, A. A. Hearnden, P. Byrne; T. F. Ward, A. N. Other, M. G. Hardy (capt.), J. W. Thompson, P. Harding. (Bully-off at 1.45 sharp).

Railway Union 2nd—W. C. Leopold; M. J. Doogan, W. Broad; C. Johnston, W. Sweeny (capt.), H. Sully; T. Spearman, A. Knight, C. Leopold, W. Lambert, J. Adamson.

Railway Union 3rd—A. Knight; E. Halliday, G. O'Driscoll; C. Colter, W. Thompson, B. J. O'Connor; G. K. Duff (capt.), J. Griffen, B. Wyld, D. McNeaney, K. Tanham.

Dalkey—H. C. Lea (capt.); T. Haynes, R. Prescott; D. Jones, A. King, R. Jones; M. Bunyan, J. McNally, S. Keegan, D. Dunn, T. O'Leary.

Dalkey 2nd—H. Lewis; T. Pender, S. Smalldridge; A. Sarratt, E. Flewitt, R. Hewitt; H. V. Keegan, H. Conlan, T. F. Kennedy, J. N. Clarke, K. Kenna.

Mountjoy School—N. H. Macoun; J. P. Baker, C. H. Bruce; R. H. Griffith, W. H. Lush, J. T. Bond; G. E. Little, J. Sim, R. L. Franklin (capt.), J. T. Sleator, J. E. O'Callaghan.

Corinthians 3rd—Saul (capt.); F. Whitney, R. Anderson; D. Sullivan, B. Elliott, R. Christie; T. Felton, R. Lutton, H. Marchant, D. Scott, H. Rae.

Fingal—A. Symmons; R. Campbell, T. Ashe; J. C. Turner, W. Dowson, L. Clarke; F. Mitchell, R. Barrett, Rev. R. G. Perdue (capt.), J. Hogg, Rev. R. K. Lowe.

Y.M.C.A. 2nd—W. Brien; K. Talbot, G. McEndoo; W. Alexander, F. Cochran, G. Beate; J. Taylor, F. Byrne, N. McConnell, R. Jones, S. Cochran.

### LEINSTER BRANCH I.H.U.

Emergency Committee meeting at Londonbridge road this evening at 4.30 to make draw for first round of Galtrim Cup.

HOCKEY.—The Leinster Final Trial—Comments on Teams. See to-day's issue of "THE IRISH FIELD."—(Advt.)

GAELIC GAMES

# CHARITY CUP TIES

## *Two Attractive Games at Croke Park To-morrow*

(By PAT'O.)

To-morrow's programme at Croke Park is the best of the present Charity Cup series. Garda, with their wide selection of inter-county men are League and Championship holders and favourites for the 1935 competitions. So well, however, did Dolphins play against St. Joseph's in the first round of the Cup that their supporters believe they can lower Garda's colours to-morrow. With the Cavanagh pair, Byrne and Banville playing good football the Barn men are well served by smart footballers of the junior school, who have fine control of the ball, and are fast in both wings.

Garda had their full team out against Clan-na-nGaedheal; yet they were without a score in the second half. They were not at full stretch, however, and will play with more verve to-morrow. On paper, Garda are the outstanding team in Dublin, including on their fifteen such brilliant inter-county players as O'Reilly, McMahon, O'Dowd, Brennan, Lambe, Delaney, Russell, Comerford, Ormsby, Perry, Pringle and Mulvaney. Yet these have often played poor football as a team, though they shine with their individual counties.

The registration of G. O'Reilly, of Meath, with Dolphins strengthens the hopes of the South Dublin men, and I anticipate a fast game, but Garda's weight and experience should prove decisive in the present heavy conditions.

Equally attractive is the meeting of Erin's Hopes (St. Patrick's College, Drumcondra) and St. Lawrence's (Howth). Victories over Fingallians and Parnells have given confidence to the respective sides. Erin's Hopes are always an interesting side. Two years is the usual sojourn of teaching graduates at the training college, so we have completely new sides in alternate years, if we except such permanent teachers as P. Lee, who may take his place at centre-field to-morrow. Erin's Hopes' new forward line played convincing football against Finngallians, but they will have stouter backs to contend with to-morrow in Hanway, O'Rourke, Brady and McLaughlin.

### AN EARNEST SIDE

St. Lawrence's are an earnest side, and Arthur Dixon is a very brainy finisher from the centres of Kane and J. O'Rourke. They will be heavier than Erin's Hopes, who are the lightest side in many years. The winners of this game enter the final.

Respite from inter-county games will be utilised by county officials in preparing for annual county conventions. By rule of Council all county conventions must be held by the last Sunday in January. Accounts must be prepared, officers nominated, and the year's activities reviewed. So far as the inter-county programmes are concerned, competitions were all completed within the year. A few local championships in backward counties are not wound up, but the position generally is far more forward than usual. Punctuality has been observed in all major matches through the year, and the example shown in higher ranks should be followed by juniors.

A feature of 1934 has been the marked improvement in the standard of play in schools and colleges. The primary schools' movement in Dublin has grown to big proportions, and the pressing problem of the moment is the cost of hurleys for schoolboys.

### FIXTURES

**TO-DAY.**
Croke Park—Col. Caoimghin v. Blackrock Coll. (Sr. H.), 2.30.
Wexford—Knockbeg v. St. Peter's (Wexford) (Sr. F.), 2.30.

**TO MORROW.**
Croke Park—Garda v. Dolphins, 1.0; and St. Lawrence's v. Erin's Hopes, 2.15 p.m.
Swords—Wild Geese v. St. Margaret's, 1.30; St. Maur's v. Sylvesters, 2.45.
Clondalkin—Army Metro v. Round Towers.
Parnell Park—St. Mary's (S.) v. Pioneers, 2.45.
Crumlin—St. Paul's v. Fox and Geese, 1.30.
Cork—Glen Rovers v. Sarsfields (Marster's Cup final).

MOTOR CYCLING

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LEINSTER CLUB

A year of remarkable activity was reported last evening at the annual meeting of the Leinster Motor Cycle and Car Club. The report of the hon. secretary (Mr. M. G. Beglan) showed that seventeen events had been held, of which the car race on the Skerries circuit was the most important, and all of them had been successful.

For the first time in four years the income had exceeded the expenditure, and £18 13/7 had been added to the accumulated balance of previous years. The credit balance now stood at £224.

The competition expenses amounted to £681, and the receipts for same to £585. Mr. Beglan's report and that of the hon. treasurer (Mr. J. Ross) were adopted.

The officers for the coming year were elected as under:—

President—Mr. J. J. Shiel. Hon. Secretary—Mr. M. G. Beglan. Hon. Treasurer—Mr. J. Twohey. Assistant Hon. Secretary—Mr. J. R. Ross.

Directors—Messrs. J. Irvine, M. J. O'Shaughnessy, J. Coady, F. Ross, T. Hunter, P. A. Sheehan, R. W. Johnston, C. E. Atkinson, S. T. Healy, E. M. Mitchell, R. Callow, C. H. Wilson, V. Cathcart, R. B. S. Le Fanu, D. O'Clery.

Mr. J. J. Shiel, who presided, was thanked at the close of the meeting.

## SELECTIONS FOR HURST PARK MEETING.

| PAPER. | 1.0 RACE. | 1.30 RACE. | 2.0 RACE. | 2.30 RACE. | 3.0 RACE. | 3.30 RACE. |
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| Irish Times | Young Sport. | Grumbling Ginger; if ab., Rocket. | Persian Sun.* | Spionaud. | Dusky Jack. | Oranstown. |
| Galtee More | —— | —— | Kellsboro' Jack. | —— | Fobdown. | Bunkawai. |
| S. Life & Sportsman. | Grovella. | Rocket. | Persian Sun. | Spionaud. | Bright Armour. | Bunkawai.* |
| Man on the Spot | Young Sport. | Rocket. | Persian Sun.* | Spionaud. | Back Isle. | Bunkawai. |
| Daily Sketch | Eagle's Pet; if ab., Young Sport. | Grumbling Ginger. | Jack Drummer.* | Tom Oliver. | Back Isle. | Bunkawai; if ab., Soliman's Feast. |
| Star | Young Sport; Dutch Gold, place. | Grumbling Ginger.* Rocket, place. | Kellsboro' Jack; Tapinois, place. | Heavy; Luckpenny, place. | Back Isle; Dusky Jack, place. | Oranstown; "Ma-chin-on, place. |
| Evening News | Young Sport. | Grumbling Ginger.* | Sound Box. | Redecision. | Fobdown. | Bunkawai.* |
| Evening Standard. | Prince of Athens. | Constable; if ab., Grumbling Ginger. | Kellsboro' Jack. | Heavy. | Fobdown. | Bunkawai. |

*RUGBY FOOTBALL*

# TO-DAY'S CLUB GAMES

## *Leading Sides Faced with Strong Opposition*

THE fixture list for to-day includes a few very interesting games, notably that between University College and Wanderers at Terenure. Wanderers have gone through the season so far without sustaining a single defeat, either at home or away, and University College, in their most recent game, showed useful form in defeating Queen's University. It should be an even game, but it looks as if Wanderers' strength in the forward division would carry them through. Lansdowne, too, are faced with a stiff task in opposing University College, Cork, at Lansdowne road, while Bective Rangers will be offered strong opposition by Queen's University at Donnybrook. Blackrock College have a home match with Clontarf, and Monkstown visit Palmerston. In view of their game with Oxford University on Monday, Trinity have no match.

### FIXTURES

KICK-OFF 2.30.

SENIOR MATCHES.

Lansdowne v. University College (Cork). Lansdowne road. Referee—Mr. T. Bell.
Bective Rangers v. Queen's University (Belfast). Donnybrook. Mr. D. C. Pickeman.
University College v. Wanderers. Terenure. Mr. R. W. Jeffares.
Blackrock College v. Clontarf. Williamstown. Mr R. A. C. Barrett.
Palmerston v. Monkstown. Clonskeagh. Mr. C. P. Stuart.
Garryowen v. Old Wesley. Limerick.
English Trial Match. Falmouth.
Scottish Trial. Melrose.
London-Irish v. Old Cranleighans. London.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Old Wesley 2nd v. Old Belvedere. Donnybrook.
Wanderers 2nd v. Blackrock College 2nd. Lansdowne road.
Monkstown 2nd v. St. Mary's College. Sydney Parade.
Palmerston 2nd v. Bective Rangers 2nd. Clonskeagh.
Railway Union v. College of Surgeons. Park avenue.
Clontarf 2nd v. Lansdowne 2nd. Castle avenue.
C.Y.M.S. v. University College 2nd. Harold's Cross road.

MINOR LEAGUE.

Blackrock College 3rd v. Wanderers 3rd. Nutley avenue.
St. Mary's College 2nd v. Monkstown 3rd. Kimmage.
Old Belvedere 2nd v. Old Wesley 3rd. Ballymun.
Bective Rangers 3rd v. Palmerston 3rd. Anglesea road.
College of Surgeons 2nd v. Railway Union 2nd. Bird avenue, Clonskeagh.
Lansdowne 3rd v. Clontarf 3rd. Lansdowne road.
University College 3rd v. C.Y.M.S. 2nd. Terenure.
Suttonians v. Y.M.C.A. 2nd. Sutton.
Malahide v. Old First. Malahide.

JUNIOR CLUB GAMES.

Dundalk v. Dublin University 2nd. Dundalk.
Imperial Tobacco Company v. Balbriggan. Crumlin.
Old Wesley 3rd "A" v. Old Belvedere 3rd. Milltown.
Old Belvedere 3rd "A" v. Old Wesley 3rd "B." Ballymun.
Monkstown 3rd "A" v. Wanderers 3rd "A." Sydney Parade.
Clontarf 3rd "A" v. Wanderers 3rd "A." Sydney Parade.
Lansdowne 3rd "B" v. Clontarf 3rd "B."
Wanderers 3rd "B" v. Palmerston 3rd "B." Merrion road.
Mountjoy School v. Terenure College. Strandville avenue.
O'Connell School 2nd v. Mountjoy School 2nd.
Mountjoy School (J.C.T.) v. Belvedere College (J.C.T.). Strandville avenue.
Y.M.C.A. 3rd v. Bective 3rd "A." Claremont road.

### TEAMS

Lansdowne.—C. Murphy; E. J. Lightfoot, J. J. Mooney, E. O'D. Davy, R. W. Fox; P. Quinn, T. A. O'Reilly; M. J. Dunne, T. P. Hogan, Rev. St. J. Pike, T. P. Sinnott, J. Robertson, G. McDermott, M. K. Ryan, G. A. Robinson.

Lansdowne 2nd.—D. P. Moran; B. Cruise, A. C. Heaney, J. Jones, D. Baker; T. Kelly, H. Finlay; M. J. O'Leary, T. C. Byrne, W. Sutherland, F. Conroy, P. Oliver, H. Begley, W. Begley, R. D. Lambert.

University College, Cork.—T. Riordan; D. Lane, T. Donnovan, B. McKenna, J. O'Connor; D. O'Sullivan, B. O'Brien; P. Powell, C. Cloghessy, D. O'Loughlin, J. Russell, R. Bergin, J. Laycock, J. Buckner, D. Herlihy.

Palmerston.—C. J. Hughes; J. Balch, A. Redmond, F. Dowds, C. Nicholls; C. Connolly, R. J. Walsh; J. H. Mullins, D. M. Hudson, J. H. Thompson, G. K. Langley, P. O'Driscoll, D. Walsh, T. A. Eustace, E. J. Flynn.

Palmerston 2nd.—E. Thompson; H. White, J. K. Fraser, D. McMullan, A. G. McCleane; N. Marchant, G. W. Beckett; J. A. Brooks, W. G. Hilliard, A. Northam, A. Raffan, F. Reid, W. G. Taylor, T. A. Thompson, R. Towell.

Monkstown.—D. P. Barclay; F. H. C. Salmon, P. E. Stewart, G. P. Stuart, T. H. D. Wall; G. W. Coghlan, G. G. Patterson; P. L. Tighe, W. P. Maher, T. Byrne, A. P. Kinneally, M. A. J. O'Reilly, J. P. Wallace, J. E. McCourt, C. O'Connor.

Monkstown 2nd.—B. F. Bergin; A. J. Donovan, S. G. Murphy, J. J. Corrigan, H. Arigho; G. H. Musgrove, S. P. Cruise; A. K. Mullan, T. J. O'Sullivan, S. C. Mullan, P. M. Clifford, A. T. Clarke, E. O. Knapp, E. C. Dunne, Rev. M. T. Porteus.

Blackrock College.—D. O'Leary; J. Campbell, P. Crowe, L. B. McMahon, J. Flannery; T. Brophy, J. F. Kent; B. M. Glynn, T. O'Driscoll, F. C. Dwyer, J. Westby, S. Morrisson, M. Burns, M. Delaney, M. Caffrey.

University College.—E. D. Toner; F. L. Scott, A. Bailey, H. J. Murphy, P. J. McCormack; J. J. Bailey, A. P. Barry; G. T. M. Hayes, G. B. McAuley, D. J. Purcell, J. J. Maher, T. Boland, M. I. Nolan, P. J. Jennings, G. J. Glynn.

University College 2nd.—D. McAuley; T. Bradley, J. J. O'Sullivan, J. F. Houlihan, M. O'Sullivan; B. L. McCormack, P. X. Bermingham; E. Gleeson, D. J. Curran, J. J. Brennan, J. Crowe, A. N. Other, J. P. O'Riordan, B. Cullen, Des. Purcell.

Wanderers.—F. W. Williamson; J. C. Hewat, A. C. Preston, E. C. Ridgeway, J. T. Keegan; A. W. King, J. Beckett; D. Bardon, J. Camp, C. R. Graves, L. Halligan, T. R. Horan, W. J. McCormick, N. B. Smellie, C. O'N. Wallis.

Wanderers 2nd.—Ridgeway; Webster, Mac Dougald, Bennett, Noyes-Lewis; Preston, Robertson; Ross, Philip, Stewart, French, Turner, McHale, Sterling, Robertson.

Bective Rangers—Morris; Doyle, Magee, Bailey, Kinneally; O'Connor, Fitzsimons; Deering, Lawler, Carroll, Aird, Wade, McGrath, Hooper, Little.

Bective Rangers 2nd—Menton; Hickey, Maguire, Scannell, Whiteside; Griffen, Dunne; O'Connor, Rooney, McGinity, Shannon, Daish, Jackson, Donovan, Collins.

College of Surgeons—G. Pearse; C. B. Tait, D. F. Ryan, J. Beazley, S. Healy; D. Navin, B. Crealey; P. K. O'Brien, W. Hyde, J. J. Farrell, R. T. Michael, T. P. Byrne, J. J. Ryan, G. Dunne, J. G. Clinch.

College of Surgeons 2nd—D. F. Morrissey; J. J. McNamara, W. McNamee, J. H. Balmer, H. McCabe; M. Pilsworth, M. Halpin; C. J. Murray, W. O'Dwyer, D. Halpin, M. J. Hennessy, T. Beattie, M. D. Freyne, D. Dowd, J. J. Riordan.

Old Belvedere—D. Belton; B. Kennedy, D. Conroy, J. Boucher, T. Conroy; H. O'Donohoe, T. Hughes; C. Hession, E. May, M. O'Dwyer, J. Cummins, P. Kevans, D. O'Dwyer, P. Ginnell, M. Walsh.

Old Belvedere 2nd—K. Kelly; B. Murray, W. Delaney, K. Dolan, P. Murray; T. Grant, T. Hyland; J. Walsh, N. Fox, D. Derby, J. Ryan, W. Ward, P. Ryan, R. Fox, S. Murphy.

Imperial Tobacco Co.—V. P. McAllister; C. F. Sullivan, R. Boucher, A. T. J. Murphy, H. A. Watchorn; T. Sheppard, R. B. Cobbe; T. A. D. Egan (capt.), E. F. R. ffrench, C. Doyle, J. Byrne, B. Connellan, L. O'Brien, R. W. Mason, K. O'Flaherty.

Old Wesley 2nd—J. D. Draper; F. J. B. Mark, P. L. Van Aardt, C. Johnson, W. J. Prescott, W. Farrell, S. McElwaine; G. W. Keegan, H. B. Bulmer, C. S. Stanton, G. H. McElroy, H. A. Pelley, W. Plewman, L. Plewman, W. I. Collier.

Malahide—S. Mills; J. Webb, C. A. McCreadie, C. Attwooll, G. Walshe; H. Skelly, J. O'Hanlon; J. Barry, R. Fraser, P. Giles, P. Gower, I. Hughes, L. Hughes, M. McKenna, J. McWade.

"Old First"—A. Johnson; A. Turner, A. I. Lowry, F. N. Martin, J. Large; A. D. Baldwin, C. Fox; F. W. Rogers, S. Tomlin, R. P. Maher, W. H. Hogan, F. Hogan, J. Hogan, G. Halpin, G. Stanley.

R.S.P.U.—W. J. Mulholland; F. Stillman, W. E. Rowlette, J. R. Morton, J. S. Brennan; K. C. Dempsey, V. A. Hendrick; J. A. Brennan (capt.), J. S. McNesney, M. A. McInerney, S. Wilkie, H. Gale, J. Beglin, N. McMahon, M. Waldron. All members 3rd and 3rd A XV. turn out for practice match at Roebuck Villas, Clonkeagh.

Clontarf—T. A. McGowan; T. J. Gleeson, G. Enright, S. P. McHugh, J. Martin; G. J. Morgan, F. G. Moran; M. J. O'Dwyer, J. V. Glass, J. P. Cavanagh, L. A. Moran, J. J. Madigan, J. Tyson, E. Craigie, J. W. Mays.

Clontarf 2nd—V. Gaughran; R. Craigie, O. G. Giddings, B. Lyons, H. J. Ryan; S. Y. Lyons, J. P. Barrington; T. C. Boland, G. Baird, J. E. Lawless, E. J. Lyons, R. J. Bailey, M. Nolan, S. J. Coffey, W. Clarke.

### SCHOOLBOYS' MATCHES

MONKSTOWN.

Schoolboys desiring to play for this team during the Christmas vacation are requested to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, J. R. Ramsey, 12 College Green, Dublin. School, age, and position in the field should be stated. Fixtures are required by the Schoolboys' XV., and hon. secretaries are asked to forward a list of their vacant dates to the hon. secretary at the above address.

*CROSS-COUNTRY*

# CO. DUBLIN NOVICES' CHAMPIONSHIP

## 14 TEAMS TO CONTEST TO-DAY'S RACE

Fourteen teams have entered for the County Dublin Novices' Cross-Country Championship, which will be run to-day in the Phœnix Park, starting at 3 p.m. sharp, over a course of approximately four miles.

The following are the teams in the order of their stations:—

1—Phœnix Harriers—F. Furey, N. Carty, C. A. Bryan, P. Cooper, C. Kelly, L. Tallon, L. Kelly, J. Connolly, D. K. Tighe, C. M. Kearns, J. Caprani. Subs.—P. J. Hoban, M. Tierney.

2—Civil Service Harriers—P. Cahill, E. Doran, M. V. Foley, J. Fox, P. R. Goodwin, M. J. Holmes, C. Keane, N. Marshall, M. McDonald, M. McMahon, T. Meade, B. Moloney. Subs.—D. J. Murphy, C. Paton, F. J. Walsh.

3—City and Suburban Harriers—E. A. Wilson, C. P. Dooley, J. J. Leavy, J. J. Burke, W. G. Morris, M. T. Morris, J. G. Kiernan, O. Grant, E. O'Keefe, A. B. Robertson, M. P. Finnegan, J. M. Twohig. Subs.—O. Larkin, K. J. Morris, A. Green.

4—St. Brigid's A.C.—M. Anderson, P. Mooney, H. Murphy, M. Horan, J. O'Neill, S. Morrison, A. Byrne, F. Hughes, P. Proudfoot, J. Stuart, J. Thompson, J. Flynn. Subs.—J. Somers, G. McGovern, J. Mooney.

5—Dublin University H. and A.C.—J. T. Given, T. B. O'Loughlin, W. R. C. Parke, C. W. Mellon, H. A. Dougan, J. H. Sides, L. D. Latham, J. R. M. Mollan, N. W. Kennedy, A. G. Breakey, R. E. Taylor, G. S. Sheill. Subs.—R. D. Jones, A. J. A. McQuaide, R. H. McAdoo.

6—Dublin City Harriers—J. Kneeshaw, T. McArdle, M. Leahy, J. Murphy, J. Sykes, J. Martin, T. Burke, J. Oraw, G. O'Connor, E. Mullin, M. Maher, G. Dowling. Subs.—J. Mullin, J. Naughton, H. Egan.

7—Army "B" Team—T. McCloskey, J. Callaghan, J. Garry, O. Donegan, C. Brady, J. Gogarty, W. Carter, J. Southern, P. Maher, P. Cabey, J. Weir, T. McDonald, F. Kennedy, C. McCarthy, J. Bracken.

8—G.S.R.A.C.—W. Molloy, A. Walker, G. Fagan, D. McDonnell, J. Tinckler, L. Flood, T. Behan, W. O'Loughlin, P. Kennedy, B. Kennedy, J. Burke, C. J. Burgess. Subs.—F. Murphy, J. McCreevy, J. Hall.

9—Army "C" Team—J. Byrne, G. Cullen, C. Doyle, M. Dillon, L. Fahey, T. Ferritar, E. Giles, C. Harrington, P. Hannon, P. Hickey, D. Hughes, T. Maher, M. McCann, G. Poole, A. Treacey.

10—Army "A" Team—R. Buckley, P. Keane, J. Mitchell, D. Cullen, T. Fitzgibbon, P. Whelan, P. McDonnell, P. Cash, P. Carroll, M. O'Rourke, E. O'Neill, J. Connor. Subs.—D. Gleeson, J. Crowley.

11—Garristown Harriers—J. O'Neill, R. J. Elliott, C. O'Reilly, P. Grendon, P. Malone, S. McGrane, J. Fanning, M. Lamb, J. O'Neill, J. Andrews, J. J. McKeon, P. Andrews. Subs.—P. A. Murray, T. J. Keenan, P. J. Lynch.

12—Clonliffe Harriers—N. Faussett, C. Doyle, T. Ross, H. McCartan, W. Devine, J. Fitzpatrick, F. Lynch, R. Connolly, J. O'Driscoll, J. Johnston, J. Foley, P. Malone. Subs.—W. A. Brady, W. Evans, G. Kerr.

13—Hospitals' Trust A.C.—B. Duke, J. Finegan, E. Mason, J. Delaney, P. Harris, A. Byrne, C. Clarke, H. Couch, J. McNeill, P. Mullan, P. Toscher, J. Cuddy. Subs.—C. Kane, J. O'Reilly, P. Duffy.

14—Donore Harriers—S. Banks, H. Brian, J. Callan, R. E. Doran, H. Gilmore, F. Kavanagh, F. Kennedy, H. Lesage, T. J. Miller, W. O'Grady, N. Robinson. Subs.—J. Byrne, C. Harton, E. Saunders.

*WOMEN'S HOCKEY*

### TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

**Senior League "A"**—Optimists v. Old Wesley; Green lanes, 3.30. Maids 2nd v. Alexandra College; Templeogue, 3.15. Old College v. Bray; Woodbrook, 3.0. Sheilmartin v. Maids; Cabra, 2.45.

**Senior League "B"**—Glenageary v. Old College "B"; Sydney Parade, 2.15. Optimists "B" v. Monkstown; Green lanes, 2.30. Pembroke Wanderers v. U.C.D.; Serpentine avenue, 3.15.

**Intermediate "A"**—Maids 3rd v. Dominican Past; Santry, 3.15. Pembroke Wanderers 2nd v. Glenageary 2nd; Glengara Park, 2.30. Optimists 3rd v. Muckross 2nd; Rathmines, 2.15. Old College 3rd v. Brookville; Artane, 2.15.

**Intermediate "C"**—Monkstown 2nd v. Old Wesley 2nd; Bellevue avenue, 2.30. Trinity 2nd v. Civil Service; Dartry road, 2.30.

**Middle "A"**—Maids 4th v. Pembroke Wanderers 4th; Templeogue, 2.15. Coolock v. Old Rutland 2nd; Ballymun road, 3.0. Monkstown 3rd v. Criterion; Oaklands Park, 2.30. Bohemians v. Bray 2nd; Santry, 3.30.

**Middle "B"**—Beaufort v. Dominican Past 2nd; Santry, 2.30. Coolock 2nd v. Mermaids; Artane, 3.0. Optimists 4th v. C.I.T.C.; Green lanes, 3.0.

**Middle "C"**—Newcomes 4th v. Hospitals' Trust 2nd; Templeogue, 3.0. Old College 5th v. Clonliffe; Sidney parade, 3.15. Nutgrove v. College of Surgeons; Bird avenue, 3.0.

**Middle "D"**—Civil Service 2nd v. Nutgrove 2nd; Kimmage road, 3.0. Old Wesley 3rd v. Loreto Past 3rd; Kimmage Grove, 2.30. Imperial Tobacco 2nd v. U.C.D. 2nd; Crumlin, 3.0.

**Junior "A"**—St. Kevins v. Pembroke Wanderers 5th; Kimmage road, 2.30. Sheilmartin 3rd v. Criterion 2nd; Cabra, 2.30. Monkstown 4th v. Graftonians 2nd; Bellvue avenue, 2.30. Bohemians 2nd v. Ramblers 2nd; Kimmage Grove, 3.0. Muckross 4th v. Old Rutland 3rd; Rathmines, 3.15.

**Junior "B"**—R. and S.P.U. 2nd v. Old Wesley 4th; Park avenue, 2.15. Old College 6th v. Trefoil 3rd; Clonskeagh, 2.30. Loreto Past 4th v. Ierne; Templeogue, 2.15.

**Junior "C"**—Hospitals' Trust 3rd v. Beaufort 2nd; Santry, 3.30. Helys v. Switzers 2nd; Templeogue, 2.45. Comptometers v. Glenageary 3rd; Glengara Park, 3.30.

**Minor "A"**—St. Moibhis v. Muckross 5th; Phœnix Park, 3.0. Sheilmartin 4th v. Criterion 3rd; Cabra, 3.0.

**Senior Schools' Cup (1st Round)**—Hillcourt v. The Hall (Monkstown); Hillcourt, 2.45.

**Senior Schools' League**—Masonic v. Muckross; Ballsbridge, 2.45.

**Junior School's League**—Rutland v. Loreto; Philipsburgh avenue, 2.30.

**Intermediate Badges (2nd Round)**—Newcomes 2nd v. Newcomes 3rd; Temple Hill.

**Junior Badges (2nd Round)**—U.C.D. 3rd v R. and S.P.U. 2nd; Terenure.

*ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL*

# HUNGARY'S FIRST VISIT

## *To-morrow's International at Dalymount Park*

By Our Special Correspondent.

To-morrow is the most important day of the Free State season, for we meet Hungary at Dalymount Park in our only home international match. Although this is the Free State's fifteenth match against countries affiliated to the International Federation, it will be our first meeting with Hungary, which lends additional interest to the game.

The Hungarians have been rapidly advancing to the forefront of Continental football, and their victory over England by 2 goals to 1 last May was of enormous benefit to them. They have a recent victory over Austria to their credit, and though since then they have gone down to Italy they have given sufficient proof that they are as good as the best on the Continent, and that they presently are in fine trim was evidenced at Rotterdam on Wednesday, when they beat Holland 5-4.

Their main strength would appear to lie in defence. Szabo, the goalkeeper, who comes on for Hada, the latter having disappointed in Wednesday's match, has a big reputation, and both full-backs have plenty of experience. As we have seen before, Continental goalkeepers are extremely agile, while the full-backs are always relentless in their tackling. While a repetition of the Highbury "scenes" is most unlikely, the visiting backs and goalkeeper will, no doubt, be unpleasantly surprised when the latter is charged while in possession of the ball.

### THE VISITING ATTACK

The half-backs are said to be fast, and will, undoubtedly, be clever with their heads; but despite the reputation of their centre-forward, Avar, the weakness of the side will probably lie here. The Continental teams have not yet realised the value of the surprise long-range shot and are always inclined to hold on to the ball near goal. Decisive tackling before they can get to close range is likely to worry them considerably.

Owing to injuries to men playing with cross-Channel clubs, the Free State team has undergone considerable revision since originally selected. If not the strongest possible combination, it more thoroughly represents the strength of football here. Still, it does not look equal to the task. The halves may be found to lack speed, while the forwards may not have the requisite finesse to beat a powerful defence. Our backs will not let us down—Gaskins is ideally suited to a match of this kind and Foley can rise to great heights in goal, but the halves may be too highly tested in mid-field.

Rigby is a good, lively centre-forward, but he has not Moore's ability to take advantage of the slightest opening, and this feature of the Aberdeen man's play may be wasted in the inside-left berth. Donnelly may be able to rise to a big occasion—he will need to to-morrow. We may be strongest on the wings, but here again the task will likely prove too heavy. England beat Italy recently by their smashing start. If we can open with this fire to-morrow we may upset the opposition, but nearly everything seems to point a Hungarian victory.

The Hungarian team reached Dublin last evening. They were met by the officers of the Free State F.A.:—Mr. O. Grattan Esmonde, T.D. (President); Mr. L. C. Sheridan (Chairman), Mr. J. L. Brennan (Hon. Secretary), and Mr. M. J. Kenny (Hon. Treasurer), and Mr. J. A. Ryder (Secretary). The team will be received by President de Valera to-morrow morning, and afterwards by the Lord Mayor (Mr. A. Byrne, T.D.).

The teams will be:—

FREE STATE.

Goal—Foley (Glasgow Celtic);
Full-backs—Gaskins (Shamrock Rovers), Bermingham (St. James's Gate);
Half-backs — P. O'Kane (Bohemians), Lennon (St. James's Gate), A. Horlacher (Bohemians);
Forwards — Griffith (Walsall), Donnelly (Dundalk), Rigby (St. James's Gate), Moore (Aberdeen), Fallon (Notts Co.).

HUNGARY.

Goal—Szabo (Hungaria);
Full-backs — Vago (Bocskai), Sternberg (Ujpest);
Half-backs—Szeres (Bocskai), Szucs (Ujpest), Szalay (Ujpest);
Forwards—Markos (Bocskai), Vincze (Bocskai), Avar (Ujpest), Cseh (Hungaria), Titkos (Hungaria).
Referee—M. Langenus (Belgium).

## FREE STATE LEAGUE

Four Free State League games will be played at the week-end, two in Dublin to-day and two in the country to-morrow. Both Shamrock Rovers and Bohemians, who meet at Milltown, will be below full strength owing to international claims, and with rather stronger reserves Bohemians may just win, though a draw is quite likely. Dundalk's form has proved so moderate on their visits to Dublin that they can hardly be expected to beat Drumcondra at Tolka Park.

Dolphin will be at full strength at Waterford to-morrow, but will require to show their best form to gain valuable points, while Bray Unknowns seem almost certain of defeat at Sligo, as the Sligo Rovers are on the crest of the wave at present, and are always a tough proposition on their own pitch.

### THE FIXTURES

TO-DAY

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

Drumcondra v. Dundalk. At Tolka Park.
Shamrock Rovers v. Bohemians. At Milltown.

IRISH LEAGUE.

Distillery v. Coleraine. Grosvenor Park.
Newry Town v. Glenavon. Newry.
Linfield v. Ballymena. Windsor Park.
Ards v. Glentoran. Ards.
Derry City v. Cliftonville. Derry.
Portadown v. Belfast Celtic. Portadown.
Larne v. Bangor. Larne.

TO-MORROW

INTERNATIONAL MATCH.

Free State v. Hungary. At Dalymount Park. Referee—M. Langenus (Belgium).

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

Waterford v. Dolphin. At Waterford.
Sligo Rovers v. Bray Unknowns. At Sligo.

TEAMS

Dolphin—Pinkerton; Collins, Doyle; Birmingham, Carroll, Atkins; Rogers, Squires, Paterson, Watt, Kendrick, Gallagher. ('Bus leaves Ballast Office Sunday at 8.30 a.m.).

Bohemians—Capt. H. Cannon; A. Morris, W. McGuire; A. Morton (capt.), P. Andrews, A. Maguire; J. Menton, P. Farrell, P. Ellis, J. Buchanan, W. Jordan.

Shamrock Rovers—Behan; Daly, Kinsella; Glen, Matthews, Blake; Williams, Wall, Leonard, Mooney, Comerford, Murtagh.

Drumcondra—Flynn; Lennox, Moore; J. F. Kennedy, Byrne, F. Hutchinson; Kavanagh, Hogan, Meehan, McCosh, A. Millar.

*BOXING*

### ARMY CHAMPION BEATEN AT CORK

The surprise of the Collins Club Tournament at Cork last night was the defeat of Pte. J. King, the Army heavy-weight champion, by Pte. P. Maher, of the Curragh. Maher outboxed and outfought the champion for four rounds, and then at the start of the fifth round he was out to a low blow, King being disqualified.

Owing to a hand injury, Pte. T. Burne, Army welter champion, was unable to fulfil his engagement with M. Condon (Dolphin). Results:—

Welter-weight—Pte. Herrity (Collins) beat F. McSweeney (Sunnyside); Cpl. J. Merriman (Collins) beat Pte. J. Ryan (Collins).

Feather-weight—C. Forde (Dolphin) beat Pte. P. Byrne (Collins); Cpl. W. Chase (Collins) beat J. Cremin (Blackrock); Pte. P. Brierton (Collins) beat Pte. W. McKenna (Curragh).

Bantam-weight—Pte. T. Boshell (Curragh) beat B. Driscoll (Sunnyside).

Fly-weight—Pte. M. Ryan (Collins) beat Pte. Linehan (Curragh).

Light-weight—Pte. B. McAuliffe (Collins) beat Pte. J. Woodcock (Curragh); Pte. T. Bonham (Collins) beat Pte. T. Grattan (Curragh).

Middle-weight—Pte. J. Poole (Curragh) beat Pte. W. Herlihy (Collins).

Heavy-weight—J. Lynn (Father Mathew Hall) k.o. Pte. Corrigan (Collins) in the second round.

### MILLIONAIRE SPORTSMAN'S ESCAPE

Mr. Frederick Pearson, the American millionaire sportsman, who hunts with the Quorn, had a remarkable experience during a run yesterday.

The hunt had moved off from the meet at Billesdon, Leicester, and a little later Mr. Pearson dismounted. A second or two after the horse dropped dead, Mr. Pearson jumping clear just in time.

"Charlie was the finest hunter I have seen and a great favourite," Mr. Pearson stated. "I was greatly upset at his death, and immediately retired from the field."

### DUBLIN NATURALISTS' FIELD CLUB

Before the Dublin Naturalists' Field Club last night, at the Royal Irish Academy, Dawson street, Dublin, Professor Gregg Wilson, of the Queen's University, Belfast, lectured on "Sea Animals and Their Shore Life." The lecture was illustrated with lantern slides.

Professor Wilson said that on the shore these sea animals found abundant food, that they adapted themselves to the severe conditions under which it was obtainable, resorting to marking devices and mimicry to deceive their enemies.

Mr. J. P. Brunker presided.

## ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY

### ASSISTANCE FOR DIRECTOR

At a meeting of the Council of the Royal Dublin Society, which was held at Ballsbridge last Thursday, Mr. Justice Wylie presiding, the Special Advisory Committee appointed to consider in what manner Mr. Bohane could be given relief in connection with his duties as Director reported on the position. They appreciated the strain that the Director undergoes, and are only too anxious to give him all and any assistance at any time. The Committee felt that assistance could be afforded in several ways, and recommended that encouragement should in particular be given to the junior officials of the Society in their endeavour to accept greater responsibilities. In this direction various recommendations of graduated increases in salary were put forward, and the Council, in unanimously approving of the report, expressed their thanks to the Committee for the exhaustive manner in which they had dealt with a difficult problem.

### AMENITIES

The General Purposes Committee presented a report dealing with the amenities provided for members, and it was agreed that this report should again be considered by the Council following a conference between the Committee and the Director.

The Radium and Library Committees were re-appointed, and the Seal of the Society was ordered to be affixed to the Deed of Trust in connection with the Pension Fund for officials.

A letter was read from Major-General Brennan, expressing the thanks of the Army of the Saorstát for the granting of the use of the Jumping Enclosure for a torchlight tattoo on behalf of military charities in September, 1935. General Brennan said:—"It has been an honour and a pleasure to be associated with the work of the Society, and this generous concession will still further link that pleasurable co-operation."

Herr von Kuhlmann, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary for Germany, also thanked the Council of the Society for the honour they had done him in electing him an Honorary Member.

The Registrar reported the elections of Honorary Officers, Members of Council, at the recent stated meeting of members, and the Council decided that the vacancy in the Honorary Secretaryship, caused by the election of Mr. D. R. Pack-Beresford as a Vice-President, should be dealt with at the next meeting.

### THE ATTENDANCE

Those present were:—Harry Franks, M.A., F.S.I.; Professor Henry H. Dixon, Sc.D., F.R.S.; J. J. Buckley, M.R.I.A., and D. R. Pack-Beresford, O.B.E., D.L. (Vice-Presidents); Professor F. E. Hackett, Ph.D. (Hon. Secretary); W. J. Walsh, Major C. K. O'Hara, H.M.L.; R. K. Wright, Charles H. O'Conor, Captain A. F. Maude, Professor Henry J. Seymour, B.Sc.; Professor Paul A. Murphy, Sc.D.; Major M. C. Hamilton, John Leonard, Patrick J. Brady, Lucius O'Callaghan, R.H.A.; Edgar A. Pim, A. G. G. Leonard, B.Sc., Ph.D.; the Rev. Canon Dempsey, M.A., P.P.; the Right Hon. Lord HolmPatrick, D.S.O.; W. Barrington, M.Inst.C.E.; Edgar Anderson, M.A.; T. Condon, Professor T. J. Nolan, D.Sc.; George Atkinson, R.H.A.; the Right Hon. James McMahon, Professor T. Bayley Butler, M.B.E., M.B.; Professor J. H. J. Poole, Sc.D.; Sir E. Coey Bigger, M.D.; Edward Bohane, C.B.E., LL.D. (Director); Horace H. Poole (Registrar), Miss L. Magwood (Assistant Registrar).

## DUBLIN LITERARY SOCIETY

The final lecture of the 1934 session of the Dublin Literary Society was given last night by Mr. J. H. Hutchinson, one of the vice-presidents, who spoke on Charles Lamb.

Lamb's dearest wish, he said, was to succeed as a dramatist, but his attempts in this direction failed. He proved his right to the title of poet, almost through a single poem, but it was as an essayist that he survived, and yet not wholly as such, for his letters still lived. Few writers had been reprinted so often during the last fifty years, and through that period "The Essays of Elia" had never gone out of fashion. The lives of other writers—Wordsworth, Coleridge and Landor—had been enriched by their friendships with "Saint," and they had made no secret of the fact.

The Society's next session will begin on January 4.

## CHURCH SERVICES

### THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday), 10 a.m. Psalm, 75. Benedictus, 48. Hymn, 287 (Tune 197). 4 p.m. Boys' Voices. Psalm, 78 (41 to end). Magn. N. Dim. (Goss in E). Anthem, "God is a Spirit" (Bennett, 153). To-morrow (Sunday)—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11.15 a.m. Psalm, 73. Te Deum, Jubilate (Stainer in E flat). Anthem, "The great day of the Lord" (Martin). Hymn, 412, "Lord of Mercy." Preacher, the Rev. H. Todd, M.A., Prebendary of Yagoe. Holy Communion (choral), 12 noon. Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria (Stainer in E flat). 3.15 p.m. Cantoris Week. Psalm, 75. Magn. N. Dim. (Smart in B flat). Anthems, 1st, "When the wicked" (Mozart). Hymn, 555 (2), "Love divine." 2nd, "Day of anger" (Mozart). Preacher, the Rev. H. Todd, M.A., Prebendary of Yagoe. Concluding Voluntary—Overture, "Ruy Blas" (Mendelssohn).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day—10.45, Te Deum vii. Hymn, 74. 3, Stainer in D. Anthem, "Strengthen ye the weak hands" (Goss). To-morrow—11, Matins. Processional Hymn, 76. Psalm, 81. Te Deum and Benedictus (Stanford in C). Introit, "The Righteous living" (Mendelssohn) 11.40, Holy Communion (Stanford in C). Hymns, 502, 347. Preacher, Rev. Canon Byrn, M.A. 3.30, Evensong. Processional Hymn, 366. Psalm, 84. Magn. and Nunc D. (Stanford in C). Anthem, "The Wilderness" (Wesley). Hymn, 73. Recessional Hymn, 71. Preacher, Captain G. F. Gracey, D.S.O., F.R.G.S. Offerings for the Armenian Relief Fund.

ST. MATTHIAS'S PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Canon Strong.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, the Archdeacon of Dublin. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. Charles Dowse.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S PARISH CHURCH, Clyde road—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins; Rev. R. G. F. Jenkins. 12, Sung Eucharist. 3.30, Children's Service. 6.30, Litany. 7, Rev. W. C. Simpson.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10, Rev. B. C. Waller. 11.30, Canon E. G. Sullivan. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. Tobias.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. W. C. G. Proctor. 3.30, Children's Service; Rev. W. C. G. Proctor. 7, Evening Prayer; the Bishop of Ossory.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Hughes. 7, Rev. G. A. Lowe.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 10, Litany and Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Sermon; Rev. F. S. Atkinson. 12.30, Holy Communion. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evensong and Sermon.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (The Church's Ministry of Healing)—11.30, Matins. 12, Holy Communion and Sermon; Rev. W. H. Coulter. 7, Rev. N. H. F. Waring.

ST. CATHERINE'S—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. T. Grey.

ST. VICTOR'S—8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. A. W. F. Orr. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

IRISH CHURCH MISSIONS, Townsend street—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. C. Hammond.

MOLYNEUX CHURCH, Bride street—11.30, Morning Service. 7, Holy Communion; Rev. A. Morrow.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Aungier street—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. H. Alcock, B.D. 3.30, Children's Carol Service. 7, Rev. F. Alexander.

ST. AUDOEN'S CHURCH, Cornmarket—10.15, Archdeacon Yates.

ST. JUDE'S PARISH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. J. B. Neligan. 2.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. B. Neligan.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. E. H. F. Campbell. 7, Parade Service of the 14th (St. George's) Company, Boys' Brigade; Rev. R. H. Dowse.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. G. S. Nowlan.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Holy Communion; Rev. E. H. F. Campbell.

THE FREE CHURCH.—10.30, Rev. E. H. F. Campbell. 3.30 Children's Service. 7, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. J. Purser Shortt. 7, Rev. E. G. Daunt.

ST. BARNABAS'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. E. G. Daunt. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. J. Purser Shortt.

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. G. D. Hobson.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—11.30, Holy Communion; Canon E. J. Young. 7, Rev. G. D. Hobson.

THE CHAPEL OF THE MAGEOUGH HOME, Cowper road.—11.30, Morning Prayer, Holy Communion. 4, Carol Service.

CHURCH OF THE FEMALE ORPHAN HOUSE, North Circular road.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany; Rev William T. Grey. 7, Evening Prayer.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—10.15, Rev. Dr. Emerson. 7, Rev. J. H. Alcock.

ST. MARY'S CHAPEL OF EASE.—11.30, Rev. Dr. Emerson. 3.30, Children's Service.

MISSION TO THE ADULT DEAF AND DUMB (Gregg Hall).—3.30, Mr. V. J. Walker.

DRUMCONDRA CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. J. T. Cummins. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. G. Perdue.

NORTH STRAND CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. R. G. Perdue. 3.30, Children's Service. 4, Rev. R. E. Weir. 7, Rev. E. L. B. Barker.

ST. KEVIN'S, S.C. road.—11.30, Rev. Hugh Jordan. 7, Holy Communion; Rev. R. Bird.

ST. WERBURGH'S PARISH CHURCH.—9, Holy Communion. 11.15, Rev. G. S. McPhail. 3.30, Young Peole's Service; Rev. G. S. McPhail. 7, Rev. J. R. Donald.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. R. Northridge.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Grangegorman—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion (Choral); Rev. William Bell. 7, Boys' Brigade Parade, Rev. H. G. Forde, Rector of Monkstown.

ST. JAMES'S CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. F. F. Empey. 7, Rev. J. H. Alcock.

ST. JAMES'S DISTRICT CHURCH—11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. R. W. Dowse. 3.30 and 7, Rev. F. F. Empey.

TULLOW CHURCH, Carrickmines—10, Morning Prayer. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer; Canon Moore.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. C. C. W. Duggan. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. Noble Hamilton.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. B. C. Waller. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, Crumlin—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. A. D. Buchanan. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. N. Harvey.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon E. H. Lewis-Crosby. 6.30, Rev. M. T. Porteus.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

ST. PHILIP'S PARISH CHURCH, Temple road—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. N. H. F. Waring. 7, Rev. W. H. Coulter.

CHRIST CHURCH, Kingstown—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins, Holy Communion and Sermon; the Bishop of Killaloe. 3.30 Children's Service. 7 Rev. C. C. W. Duggan.

CHRIST CHURCH, Blackrock—11.30 and 7, Rev. E. H. Greening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Lucan—8.30, Holy Communion. 11, Morning Prayer 7, Evening Prayer.

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon L. Parkinson Hill. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. D. G. D. Harpur.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion 11.30, Rev. Harold G. Forde. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. J. B. S. McGinley.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Canon Connell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Canon Lewis-Crosby.

DALKEY PARISH CHURCH.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Sermon.

ST. JOHN'S, Monkstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. R. Maconchy.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH CHURCH, Killiney.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins. 3.30, Children's Service 7, Rev. G. W. Lowe.

KILLINEY.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Rev. B. W. Gadsden.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Chamberlain. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Canon Chamberlain.

ST. ANDREW'S, Malahide.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

ST. DOULAGH'S, Malahide.—10, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

ST. MARNOCK'S, Portmarnock.—3.30, Evening Prayer.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland square.—11.45, Rev. J. C. Breakey. 7, Rev. G. M. McAuley.

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30, Very Rev. Dr. Hanna. 7, Rev. J. Ross Gamble.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30, Rev. G. M. McAuley 7, Rev. J. C. Breakey.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R Crossett.

CHAPELIZOD.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey.

CLONTARF.—11.30, Rev. J. Ross Gamble. 7, Very Rev. Dr. Morrow. (Handel's "Messiah.")

DONORE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. Bole.

GREYSTONES.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. K. Lyle.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Rutherford.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY.—11.45 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

RATHGAR (CHRIST CHURCH).—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. J. J. Macaulay.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

SCOTS CHURCH.—11.45 and 7, Rev. A. H. Macpherson.

DUBLIN PRESBYTERY'S CITY MISSION—Whitefriar Street Hall, 61½ Whitefriar street.—Sabbath School, 3. Evangelistic Service, 4.30. Speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—Evangelistic Service, 8.15. Speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

WELSH CHURCH, Talbot street.—11.30, Mr. G. Byers. 6.30, Mr. S. Rennix.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30, Rev. J. E. Neill 7, Rev. F. B. Rea.

KINGSLAND PARK.—11.30, Rev. W. Farrell. 7, Mr. Rippingale.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. G. McIntyre.

CHARLESTON ROAD, Rathmines.—11.30, Rev. John Bertenshaw 7, Rev. W. H. Massey.

BRIGHTON ROAD, Rathgar.—11.30, Rev. W. H. Massey. 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION (George's Hall).—11.30, Rev. J. W. McKinney. 4, Brotherhood; Mr. Ernest E. Joynt. 7, Rev. J. W. McKinney.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30, Rev. J. A. Gordon. 7, Rev. Dr. Carrothers.

BLACKROCK.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. E. Emerson.

DALKEY.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. G. Waterworth.

ABBEY STREET.—11.30, Rev. R. Lee Cole, M.A., B.D. 7, Rev. James M. Alley.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Rev. W. R. Budd. 7, Rev. Wiliam Farrell.

BLACKHALL PLACE.—11.30, Rev. S. H. Baxter. 7, Mr. F. Macdonald.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Mr. G. Willoughby, M.A. 7, Rev. S. H. Baxter.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. G. Collier.

BRAY.—11.30, Rev. Dr. Carrothers. 7, Rev. J. A. Gordon.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30, Mr. W. M. Elliott. 7, Rev. T. J. Irwin.

RINGSEND.—11.30, Mr. A. H. Gibson. 7, Mr. J. Smith.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Johnston Hunter.

SUTTON.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. W. Hutchinson.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin—Lower Baggot street (branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday—Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, open free to the public daily from 11 a.m.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin—Rathmines Park (branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass).—Services—To-morrow (Sunday), 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday—Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

MORAVIAN CHURCH, Lower Kevin street.—11.30, Rev. H. Kunick.

KINGSTOWN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. Henderson.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—11.30, Mr. P. R. Downey. 7, Mr. F. Mearns.

YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Harold B. Mills.

BAPTIST CHAPEL, Harcourt street—11.30 and 7, Pastor L. E. Deens.

BAPTIST CHAPEL, Phibsborough — 11.30, Pastor R. Warke. 7, Mr. H. D. McDonald.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE, Kingstown—11.30 and 7, Mr. A. W. Tweedall.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Stephen's Green—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street—12 and 7, Mr. William Gilmore.

GROSVENOR HALL, Rathgar—10.15, Sunday School. 7, Mr. Reginald Squire.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—Meetings for Public Worship—6 Eustace street, 11 and 7.30; Monkstown, 11; Churchtown, 11; Bray, 11.30.

RANELAGH HALL, Lr. Elmwood avenue, Ranelagh—3, Sunday School. 4 and 7, Mr. George Watson (Belfast).

FAIRVIEW HALL, Annesley Bridge road—12, Mr. G. F. W. Godden. 7, Mr. W. T. Callaghan.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Kingstown—3.15, Sunday School. 3.30, Young Ladies' Bible Class. 3.45, Young Men's Bible Class. 7, Mr. E. Squire.

TAILORS' HALL—3.15, Sunday School. 7, Mr. R. T. Sparks.

### ST. ANNE'S CATHEDRAL, BELFAST

Holy Communion, 8 and 10.45. Matins and Holy Communion, 11.30. Venite and Psalm 80, New Irish Psalter. Urbs Fortitudinis, Benedictus, Chants. Anthem, "Hark, a voice is calling" (Naylor). Hymns 69, 65. Preacher, the Dean. First Evensong, 3.30. Psalms 82, 84, New Irish Psalter. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis (Shaw in E flat). Anthem, "Hark, a voice is calling" (Naylor). Hymns 526, 555. Preacher, the Bishop of Hokkaido, Right Rev. Gordon Walsh, D.D. Second Evensong (Parochial), 7. Preacher, Rev. S. Mann.

### CORK CATHEDRAL

Holy Communion, 8. Matins and Holy Communion, 11. Processional, "Mine eyes have seen the Glory" (Walford-Davies). Psalm 73. Te Deum, Benedictus (Parry in D). Anthem, "O Dayspring" (Stainer). Hymns 65, 401. Preacher, Rev. Alan French. Children's Service, 3. First Evensong (Choral), 4. Psalms 75, 76. Service (Stanford in A). Anthem, "Rejoice in the Lord" (Purcell). Hymn 436. Second Evensong (Parochial), 7. Psalms 75, 76. Hymns 402, 71, 280 (T.519), 555. Preacher, the Dean.

### YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

CITY OF DUBLIN Y.M.C.A., Lower Abbey street—To-night—8, "The Rally." To-morrow—4, the Coloured Quintette. 5 to 6, Men's Bible Class. Leader, the General Secretary. 8.30, Gospel Meeting. Boys' Department—5 to 6. Bible Class.

CHURCH OF IRELAND Y.M.C.A., 8 Dawson street.—To-night, 8—Prayer Meeting and Bible Class. To-morrow, 8.30—Evangelistic Service. Monday, 8—Choral Service.

RATHMINES Y.M.C.A.—To-morrow, 10.30—Young Men's Bible Class. 8.30—Evangelistic Service; Mr. T. S. Reeves. Wednesday, 6.30—Boys' and Girls' Service. 8—Fellowship Meeting. Saturday, 8—Prayer Meeting.

KINGSTOWN Y.M.C.A.—8.30, Evangelistic Service; Captain H. S. Geary, British Syrian Mission.

KINGSTOWN MEN'S CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE—8.30, Evangelistic Meeting; Mr. Alec G. Brownlee.

## LADY MOIRA FORBES'S WEDDING

### PREPARATIONS AT NEWTOWN FORBES

The Most Rev. Dr. McNamee, Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise, assisted by the Very Rev. P. Daly, P.P., Clonguish, and other clergy, will officiate at the marriage of Lady Moira Forbes to Comte Louis de Brantes in the village church, Newtown Forbes on Thursday next. It is stated that the bridegroom and his father, the Marquis de Brantes, will wear the uniform of the French Army, in which the Marquis holds the rank of General. The bride, it is understood, will wear a plain white satin dress, and will have one bridesmaid.

Four hundred guests have been invited to the wedding.

Elaborate preparations are being made by the people of Newtown Forbes, and the houses in the village are being decorated. Extensive preparations are being made at Castle Forbes.

### ST. ANN'S CHURCH

The annual collection on behalf of the Dublin Hospitals' Sunday Fund, which supports the five hospitals connected with this fund who still are not participating in the sweepstake organised by the Hospitals' Trust, will be made in St. Ann's Church to-morrow. The preachers in the morning at 10 and 11.30 will be the Vicar, and at 7 p.m. the Rev. Charles Dowse Rector of St. John's, Monkstown.

Pending the result of investigation on behalf of the Attorney-General, the Dublin City Coroner yesterday, in Jervis Street Hospital, Dublin, opened and adjourned an inquest on the body of Michael Mahon, a farmer, aged 57, of Malahide, County Dublin. Mahon had been struck by a motor car in Main street, Malahide, on the 3rd December, and died on Wednesday last, in the hospital, from shock and hæmorrhage, following severe injuries.







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### INCORPORATED DENTAL HOSPITAL OF IRELAND, LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN

The Governors of the Incorporated Dental Hospital of Ireland held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, 4th inst. Mr. Henry J. Monahan, B.L., Chairman, presided.

Also present:—Messrs. A. N. Dickson, Richard H. Sheil, J. Miley Murray F. Thomson, Edward Sheridan, George P. Moore, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, and D. L. Rogers, Dean of the School.

The usual routine business was transacted, and cheques were drawn and signed for payments of accounts due

The Governors gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions received:—

£10—Balrothery Board of Assistance.
£4 4/—The Amalgamated Dental Co., Ltd., London.
£4—The Fines and Gains Fund, Department of Posts and Telegraphs.
£3—George Jameson, Esq.
£2 2/—George Salmon, Esq.; Mrs. Gaisford St. Lawrence, Rupert McC. Dillon, Esq.; Mrs. Violet Ardill, Mrs. Trever Overend.
£2—Mrs. L. Barton, the Kildare Street Club, Messrs. John Jameson and Son, Ltd., Lady Porter.
£1 1/—Mrs. George P. Moore, Arthur H. Orpen, Esq.; John M. Peate, Esq.; Drogheda Memorial Hospital, St. John Ambulance Brigade, the Royal Dublin Golf Club, Mrs. M. E. Maher, Price's Medical Hall, Miss K. Darley, Mrs. Fitzgerald, H. J. Millar, Esq.; Lt.-Col. J. C. Wentworth Erck, Miss K. M. Leonard, Miss A. Ball Acton, Miss H. S. Chenevix, Miss F. M. Tottenham, Raymond Stephenson, Esq.; Miss H. Moore, the British Red Cross Society, Noble B. Johnson, Esq.; Mrs. Wilkinson, the Inchicore Manufacturing Co., Mrs. B. B. Green, Miss A. Scovell, Miss E. Riall, the Irish Women Workers' Union, John McCann, Esq.; Messrs. Smyth and Co., Ltd.; the Hon Georgiana Dillon, Messrs. Eason and Son Ltd.; Messrs. Arnott and Co.
£1—Miss M. L. Fry, Mrs. Lowry Acton, Messrs. Fannin and Co., Miss L. M. L'Estrange, Mrs. F. O'Brien, Messrs. Alex. Findlater and Co., Ltd.; Mrs. Connell, the Hon. Mrs. H. M. Waller, Mrs. Ormsby Hamilton, Lord Rathdonnell, Miss F. A. Geoghegan, Miss R. K. Joly, Miss A. A. Waterhouse, Adam Lloyd-Blood, Esq.; Miss C. Mooney, the Most Rev. the Hon. B. J. Plunket, Canon J. Powell, Messrs. Ferrier Pollock and Co., Ltd.; Mrs. J. Hume Dudgeon, Frank Fitzgibbon, Esq., K.C.; Miss Riall, Mrs. H. Gibbings, W. F. Trench, Esq.; Miss L. Plunkett, Wilfred Fitzgerald, Esq.; the Right Hon. Jonathan Pim, the Hon. Mrs. H. M. Waller, Miss M. E. Mooney, Ladies' Association of Charity, Blackrock; W. H. F. Verschoyle, Esq.; Wm. T. Kirkpatrick, Esq.
10/—Mrs. Thornhill, Mrs. Clements.

### NATIONAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, HARCOURT STREET, DUBLIN (Founded 1821).

The Committee of Management of the National Children's Hospital held their monthly meeting on Thursday, the 13th inst.—R. Denne Bolton, Esq., in the chair.

Also present:—T. Gillman Moorhead Esq., M.D., F.R.C.P.I.; C. J. Macdougald, Esq. (Hon. Secretary); Dr. Trevor N. Smith, F.R.C.S.; Alderman Doctor Myles Keogh, Hugh D. Pack-Beresford, Esq.; T. J. E. Lane, Esq., M.A. M.D.; Major A. Whewell.

Apologies for non-attendance were received from Councillor Mrs. Maud Walsh and Sidney H. Guilford, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting of the Committee were read, confirmed and signed, and also those of the House and Finance Committee; the usual routine business was transacted, and cheques were drawn in favour of the November accounts.

The Committee return sincere thanks for the following subscriptions received during the month of November:—

£5—Rt. Hon. the Earl of Iveagh, Lords Longford and de Vesci. £2 11s. 10d.—North Kerry Manufacturing Co., Ltd. (staff collection). £2 2s. 0d.—Mrs. E. Armitage, Messrs. Bairds, Ltd. £1 1s. 0d.—A. Chatterton, Esq.; Messrs. Bailey and Boyd, Ltd.; Messrs. Walter Brown and Co., Messrs. Fannin and Co., Miss Tisdall. £1—Lord Dunsany. 10s. 6d.—Educational Co. of Ireland, Ltd. 10s.—Messrs. McBirney and Co., Ltd.; North Kerry Manufacturing Co., Ltd.; Mrs. Dalzell Stewart. 8s.—Northern Banking Co., Ltd., S.C. road (staff collection). 5s.—Miss Peichel, Mrs. E. H. White.

The Matron gratefully acknowledges the following gifts—Papers from Mrs. M. K. McClintock; basket of fruit from Mrs. Vickers; apples from Mrs. Aylmer.

During the month 4,625 patients attended the Out-Patient Department. This figure includes sun lamp treatment X-ray examinations and minor operations.

### AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES

The average prices at the wool sales at Sydney this week were £12 5s. 3d. a bale and 9.6 pence a pound, compared with £12 2s. 6d. and 9.4 pence last week. The price on a clean cost basis of 74/70s. weft was unchanged at 20¼ pence.

**COURSING**
Famous Greyhounds of the Past Series.
No. 3—
BAB-AT-THE BOWSTER
Notes of Topical and General Interest, and Special Reports of South Dublin, Newbridge, and Other Meetings.

**RACING**
Programmes for
LEOPARDSTOWN and LIMERICK
Christmas Meetings.
List of Irish-Bred Winners in Belgium, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Spain, and Greece.

**RUGBY**
LESSONS OF THE INTER-PROVINCIALS
THE VISIT OF OXFORD UNIVERSITY
REPORTS OF ALL IMPORTANT MATCHES.

HUNTING, KENNEL, MOTORING, HOCKEY, GOLF, &c.
SEE TO-DAY'S ISSUE OF
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

# THE SLANE BRICK COMPANY, LIMITED

(Incorporated in Saorstat Eireann under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917).

AUTHORISED CAPITAL - - - £25,000

(Divided into 15,000 6½ per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each and 10,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each).

The Cumulative Preference Shares confer the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend, out of the profits which the Company shall determine to distribute by way of dividend, at the rate of 6½ per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up or credited as paid up thereon during the period in respect of which the dividend is declared, and to a right on a winding up to be paid all arrears of Preferential dividend, whether earned or declared or not, down to the date of payment, and also to be repaid the amount of capital paid up or credited as paid up thereon in priority to the repayment of the amount of capital paid up or credited as paid up on the Ordinary shares of the Company, but shall not be entitled to any other rights in the profits or assets of the Company. The holders of the Ordinary shares are entitled to the balance of the distributed profits and surplus assets.

ISSUE AT PAR OF

15,000 6½ PER CENT. CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES OF £1 EACH AT PAR - - - £15,000
10,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH AT PAR - - - £10,000

The Preference dividend will be calculated up to 31st day of March and the 30th day of September and will be payable on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each year. The first dividend will be payable on December 1st, 1935, and will be calculated from the due dates of the respective instalments.

INCOME TAX RELIEF.—Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, provides for repayment of 20 per cent. of the Income Tax payable by individual Investors in respect of dividends received on certain Saorstat Eireann Securities. Application has been made to the Minister for Finance for a Certificate under Sub-Section 2 of the said Section for the purpose of securing the above-mentioned relief for Investors in this Issue, and the following letter has been received from him.

7, Mí na Nodlag, 1934.

A DHAOINE UAISLE.
With reference to the particulars furnished by you as to the issue of 15,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each and 10,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each proposed to be made by a Company intended to be registered as the Slane Brick Company, Limited, in accordance with the terms of the draft Prospectus enclosed with your letter of the 5th instant, I am directed by the Minister for Finance to state that, on the basis of the information supplied, he will be prepared in due course to issue a certificate under Sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932 (No. 20 of 1932).

At the same time I am to call your attention to the provisions of sub-sections (3) and (4) of that Section.

Mise, le meas,
(Sd.) ARTHUR D. CODLING.

Messrs. Arthur Cox and Co., Solicitors,
42 and 43 St. Stephen's Green, DUBLIN.

The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of Shares in the Company of the nominal value of at least £100.

The preliminary expenses, including all underwriting and overriding commission, brokerage costs of incorporation of the Company, costs of transfer and fees of brokers and bankers, are estimated at £3,000, which will be paid by the Company.

DIRECTORS:

GEORGE NESBITT, Esq., "Bessboro," Kimmage road, East, Dublin. Chairman, Dublin Kinematograph Theatres Limited. Chairman, Metropole and Allied Cinemas Limited; Director, Claremorris Bacon Company Limited; Director, Irish Boring Company Limited; Director, New Ireland Assurance Company Limited, and Director, Irish Holdings Limited. (Chairman.)

WALTER CONAN, Esq., "Glenmore," Sydney avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin. Chairman, de Selby Quarries, Limited. (Managing Director.)

WILLIAM DAVIS, Esq., 161 South Circular road, Dublin. (Accountant.)

JAMES KELLY, Esq., T.D., Monktown, Navan, Co. Meath. (Accountant.)

DERMOTT McMANUS, Esq., Woodville Grange, Granard, Co. Longford. Managing Director, Irish Holdings Limited.

NOEL PURCELL, Esq., Solicitor, 57 Eglinton road, Ballsbridge, Dublin. Director, Irish Holdings, Limited, Director, Diabolo Separators (Ireland) Limited, and Director, John Hoey and Company, Limited.

Bankers: BANK OF IRELAND, College Green, Dublin.
Stockbrokers: RYAN & DILLON, 24 Anglesea Street, Dublin.
Solicitors to the Company: ARTHUR COX & CO., 42 and 43 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.
Solicitors to Irish Holdings, Ltd.: DANIEL PURCELL & SON, 16 Dawson Street, Dublin.
Auditors: KENNEDY, CROWLEY & CO., 4 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.
Secretary: NICHOLAS GARVEY KELLY, Esq.
Registered Office: Shamrock Chambers, 59-61 Dame Street, Dublin.

K.A.A.

## LONDON MINING MARKET QUIET

### PRICES LOWER

It cannot be said that the dividend declarations by the various Kaffir undertakings, though very satisfactory in themselves, created any increase of business in the market. Indeed, with the approach of the week-end and the holidays—the new account is one of the unpopular three-week variety—professional operations were reduced to a minimum, and as public support was on a small scale, the trend of values was generally downward. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 35/9 | Afric & Eur | 34/6-35/0—0/3 |
| 31/0 | Ang-A. Corp | 31/7½-32/1½—0/1½ |
| 29/6 | Anglo-French | 29/3-29/9 |
| 8¼ | Brakpan | 8 9/32-8 11/32 −1/16 |
| 20¼ | Cent. Mining | 20⅛-20⅜ −⅛ |
| 17 27/32 | City Deep | 12 1/32-12 3/32 −1/16 |
| 3 11/16 | Con. Goldf'ds | 3 5/16-3½* |
| 3⅜ | Cons. M.Reef | 3 11/32-3 13/32 −1/32 |
| 28/0 | Con. M Sel | 28/1½-28/7½+0/1½ |
| 13 | Crown Mines | 13 7/32-13 9/32 −1/16 |
| 7 9/32 | Daggafont'n | 7 15/32-7 17/32 |
| 2 7/32 | Durban Deep | 2 3/16-2¼ −1/32 |
| 1 29/32 | E.Daggafont'n | 1 13/16-1⅞ −1/32 |
| 8¾ | East Geduld | 8 27/32-8 29/32 −1/16 |
| 50/0 | E.RandProp | 50/3-50/9 |
| 22/0 | E. Rand Cns. | 20/9-21/0 −1/1½ |
| 9 5/16 | Geduld | 9 11/32-9 13/32 |
| 1 15/32 | Gelden Deep | 1½-1 9/16 |
| 3 11/32 | Gen. Mining | 3 11/32-3 13/32 |
| 3 5/16 | Govt Areas | 3 9/32-3 11/32 −1/16 |
| 6½ | Grootvlei | 6 21/32-6 23/32 −1/16 |
| 31/6 | H.E. Prop. | 31/3-32/3 |
| 69/4½ | Johan Invsts | 69/9-70/3+0/6 |
| 2¾ | Kleinfontein | 2 19/32-2 21/32 −1/32 |
| 1⅝ | Knight's | 1 1/16-1⅛ |
| 1 15/16 | Lace Prop. | 1⅝-1 11/16 −3/32 |
| 32/9 | Langlaagte E | 35/3-35/9+0/6 |
| 15/1½ | Luipards Vlei | 15/3-15/6 |
| — | Modderfontn | 4-4 1/16+1/32 |
| 28/9 | Modder B. | 28/1½-28/7½ −0/1½ |
| 21/9 | Modder Deep | 21/6-22/0 |
| 3 1/16 | Modder East | 3 1/32-3 3/32+1/32 |
| 3¼ | New S. Areas | 3 11/32-3 13/32 |
| 2¼ | Nigel | 2 5/16-2⅜ |
| 2 3/16 | Nourse | 2⅛-2 3/16 |
| 3 1/32 | Oceana Devl | 3¼-3⅜ −1/16 |
| 6 5/32 | Rand Mines | 6 15/16-7 1/16 −1/16 |
| 23/9 | Rand Select | 23/6-24/0 −0/3 |
| 51/9 | Randfontein | 52/0-52/6 |
| 2 21/32 | Robin DeepB | 2½-2 9/16 −1/32 |
| 1 9/32 | Rose Deep | 1 7/32-1 9/32 |
| 9/6 | Simmer & J. | 9/9-10/0 |
| 14/9 | S.A. Towns | 14/0-14/6 −0/3 |
| 20/3 | Sth.-W. Af. | 1-1 1/16 |
| 8½ | Springs | 8 7/16-8½ |
| 11 13/16 | Sub Nigel | 12 1/16-12⅛ −1/32 |
| 6⅛ | Trans' Del.B | 6 7/16-6 9/16 |
| 2 23/32 | Trans Con. L | 2 23/32-2 25/32 |
| 29/32 | Trans. Gold | 17/6-18/6 |
| 7 | Union Corp | 6 25/32-6 27/32 −1/32 |
| 1 15/16 | Van Ryn | 1 31/32-2 1/32 |
| 3 7/32 | Do. Deep | 3 5/32-3 7/32 −1/32 |
| 1 31/32 | Vereeniging | 1 15/16-2 1/16 |
| 1 29/32 | Vogelstruisb'lt | 1 15/16-1⅞ |
| 2¼ | Welgedacht | 2⅜-2½ −1/16 |
| 31/6 | West R.Con | 32/1½-32/7½+0/1½ |
| 2⅛ | West Springs | 1 31/32-2 1/32 −1/16 |
| 1 11/16 | West Wit Ar | 1 17/32-1 19/32 −1/16 |
| 2 3/32 | Wit. Deep | 2 1/32-2 3/32 −1/32 |

RHODESIAN.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 7/6 | BechuanaEx | 7/3-7/9 |
| 3/0 | B. M'Kubwa | 3/1½-3/4½ |
| 3 5/16 | Cam & Motor | 3 23/32-3 25/32 −3/32 |
| 21/3 | Char. B.S.A. | 20/6-21/0 |
| 28/6 | Globe & Phœ | 28/3-29/3 |
| 13/6 | GoldF.Rhod | 13/1½-13/7½ |
| 1/10½ | Loangwa | 1/9-2/0 |
| 9/9 | Lonely Reef | 13/32-15/32* |
| 5/10½ | Lon. Rhod 5/ | 5/4½-5/7½* |
| 2¾ | Rezende | 2 11/16-2 13/16 |
| 9/6 | Rhod. Corp. | 7/9-8/0 |
| 7/6 | Rho. Kat'nga | 7/0-8/0 |
| 8/0 | Rhod. Select | 8/0-8/3+0/1½ |
| 4⅛ | RhokanaCorp | 4 5/16-4 7/16+1/16 |
| 23/0 | Roan Antel | 23/0-23/6+0/1½ |
| 9/0 | Select'n Tst. | 8/10½-9/1½ |
| 3/0 | Selukwe (2/6) | 3/3-3/6 |
| 7/6 | Sherw'd Starr | 6/9-7/3 |
| 11/3 | Tangan. Con | 10/9-11/3 |
| 10/9 | Do. 6p.c.Pf | 11/0-11/6 |
| 6 11/16 | Vic.FallsOrd | 6 27/32-6 29/32+⅛ |
| 46/6 | Do. Pref | 46/3-47/3 |
| 22/9 | Wankie Col. | 22/9-23/9+0/3 |
| 16/6 | Zamb Expl. | 15/3-15/9 |

AUSTRALIAN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3⅛ | Amal. Zinc | 5/16-7/16 |
| 2⅛ | B. Hill Prop | 40/0-41/0 −0/3 |
| 3 1/16 | Do.Sth New | 3-3⅛ |
| 9/3 | Gt.Bould'r | 9/0-9/6 −0/1½ |
| 25/3 | Lake V.Star | 24/6-25/0 −0/3 |
| 13/3 | Lake V Inv. | 12/7½-13/7½* |
| 4/6 | Mount Isa | 3/3-4/3 −0/9 |
| 4 | Nth.Bn.Hill | 3 15/16-4 1/16 |
| 2 1/16 | Sons of Gwalia | 39/6-40/6* |
| 24/0 | Sth. Kalgurli | 23/3-24/3 |
| 5/0 | Sulphide Ord | 5/0-6/0 −0/3 |
| 12/0 | Do. Pref | 5⅝-1 11/16 −1/16 |
| 3⅛ | Wiluna Gold | 61/6-62/6 −0.3 |
| 1 9/32 | Zinc Ord(10/) | 1 13/16-1 15/16* |
| 4 5/16 | Do. Pref | 4-4¼* |

WEST AFRICAN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 12/4½ | Ariston | 11/10½-12/1½ −0/1½ |
| 46/3 | Ashanti (4/) | 47/9-48/3 |
| 6/6 | Atta Gold(2/) | 6/3-6/9 |
| 23/6 | Bibiani | 22/6-23/0 |
| 14/0 | Fanti Cons | 14/3-15/3 |
| 31/6 | G.Coast Sel | 36/3-36/9+1/0 |
| 2 11/16 | Kwahu(2/) | 3 1/16-3⅛+1/16 |
| 2/9 | L'dhurstDeep | 2/4½-2/7½ |
| 3/0 | Nth Ashanti | 3/3-3/6 |
| 29/3 | Taqu'h&Abs. | 29/0-29/6*+0/3 |

COPPER.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 6/0 | Messina | 4/6-5/6+0/3 |
| 13/9 | Mount Lyell | 13/0-14/0 |
| 1/3 | Namaqua | 1/0-1/6 |
| 13¼ | RioTinto(£5) | 13⅝-13⅞ −⅛ |
| 2 15/16 | Tharsis | 2 15/16-3 1/16 −⅛ |

TIN.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3/3 | Anglo-C.(10/-) | 2/9-3/3 |
| 6/9 | Anglo-Orient | 6/0-6 6 |
| 23/0 | Do Pref | 22/3-22/9 |
| 19/9 | Aramayo | 19/0 20/0 |
| 6/10½ | Associa'd Tin | 6/10½-7/1½ |
| 13/6 | Ayer Hitam | 13/4½-14/ |
| 7/9 | Bisichi | 7/6-8/9 |
| — | Changkat | 48/6-49/6* |
| 20/0 | Gopeng | 29/6-30/6 |
| 23/0 | Inoh | 1⅛-1¼ |
| 15/16 | Kaduna Synd | 7/8-1 |
| 11/9 | Kamunting | 11/9-12/3 |
| 24/6 | Kram'tPul(5/) | 25 9-26/9+0/6 |
| 10/1½ | Lond. Tin | 10/4½-10/10½ |
| 26/6 | Malayan TD. | 27/6-28/0 |
| 5/9 | Naraguta | 6/0-7/0 |
| 8/9 | Pahang(5/) | 8/9-9/3 |
| 13/3 | Petaling | 13/1½-13/7½ −0/1½ |
| 2/6 | Rahm'n Hydr | 2/1½-2/7½ −0/1½ |
| 7/0 | Rambutan | 7/4½-7/7½ |
| 24/3 | Renong | 1 3/32-1 5/32 |
| 25/6 | Siamese | 25/6-26/0 −0/3 |
| — | Sth. Kampar | 37/6-38/6 |
| 3/7½ | Tavoy (4/) | 4/0-4/6 |
| 15/0 | Tronoh (5/) | 15/1½-15/7½+0/1½ |

DIAMOND.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 2 5/16 | Cons. Af. Sel. | 2 3/16-2 5/16 |
| 4 9/16 | DeBeers Def | 4-4⅛ |
| 10 1/16 | Do. Pref | 9 11/16-9 13/16+½ |
| 1 3/16 | Jagersf'tein | 1 3/16-1 5/16 |
| 2⅜ | Premier Pref | 1⅞-2⅛ |
| 5/3 | West African | 5/6-6/0 |

MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 11/6 | Burma Corp | 11/1½-11/4½ |
| 0/8½ | Camp Bird | 0/7½-0/10½ |
| 33/0 | Champ. Reef | 33/3-34/3 −0/3 |
| 36/3 | Chos. Corp | 1 13/16-1⅞ |
| 6/0 | Explor.(10/) | 3/6-4/6 |
| 32/6 | Frontino | 1⅝-1¾ |
| 8/0 | Min.Sepa't'n | 3½-4 |
| 4/6 | Min.Crp.Can | 4/6-5/0 |
| 21/6 | Mysore(10/) | 21/0-22/0 −0/6 |
| 58/3 | Nundydroog | 58/3-59/3 −0/3 |
| 9/0 | Ooregum | 8/9-9/9 |
| 24/9 | St.J.Del Rey | 25/0-26/0 |
| 10/9 | San Fr'isco | 10/3-10/9 |
| 2/0 | Tigon Ming. | 1/6-2/6 |
| 8/0 | Trepca (2/6) | 8/6-9/0*+0/3 |
| 31/3 | Waihi Gold | 30/6-31/6+0/3 |

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

## INSURANCE SHARES

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Atlas, £14 9/6, 14 1/16; Commercial Union, 11¼, 1/16, 1/16, 1/16; Eagle Star Ord., 19 1/16, 1/16, ¼; Employers', 70/-, 1½d., 3d., 4½d., 9d.; General Accident, 20 1/16, 1/16, 21, ¼; Guardian, 14¼, ¼; London Assurance, 15¾, 1/16, ¾; North British and Mercantile, 42¾, 1/16; Phœnix £1 (f.p.), 16½, ⅛, ⅛, ¼, £16 14/-; Prudential, 35¼, 1/16, ¼; do. "B" £1 (4/- pd.), 100/4½; Royal Exchange, 9¾, 1/16; Royal Insurance, 8¾, 1/16, 1/16, 1/16; Sun Life, 6 1/16; Yorkshire, 8¾.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance New Shares, 29 1/16; Atlas Assurance, 14 1/16, 1/16; Commercial Union Assurance, 11 1/16, 1/-; Eagle Star and British Dominion Insurance, £19 12/1½; General Accident, Fire and Life Assurance Corporation, 20 1/16; North British and Mercantile Insurance, 42⅝; Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation, 9 1/16; Royal Insurance, 174/0¾, 5/-; Scottish Union and National Insurance, 16 1/16; Sea Insurance, 100/-; Sun Insurance Office, 94/3.

## LONDON "STREET" MARKET

Although not a great deal of business was transacted in the American market, shares were rather offered, and fractional losses were recorded in several of the leading issues. Radios were a noticeably dull spot, closing 1/16 lower at 5⅝. Nickels were offered at 22⅞, as were Tractions. "Canadas" finished a shade off at 11⅝. American Celanese were maintained at 6⅝. Fords receded to 35s. 3d., a loss of 9d., and "Emmies" were steady at 28s. 4½d.

## OIL OUTPUT

**Mexican Eagle Oil Co.**—Production for the week ended 8th December was 377,000 barrels.

## DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT

Barometer at 5 p.m.—28.90

Wind and Weather—S.E. wind, strong breeze, overcast and showery.

Foreign Arrivals—Snefjeld, of Bergen, 1,002 tons register, Captain Paulsen, from Poramon, with a cargo of ore; Elv. Nissen, of Copenhagen, 1,221 tons register, Captain Svane, from Gdynia, with a cargo of coal; Kuna, of Glasgow, 926 tons register, Captain Gunn, from Aalborg, with a cargo of cement; Gottfrid, of Stockholm, 938 tons register, Captain Flink, from Stettin, with a cargo of coal.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Leinster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Slieve Bloom, from Holyhead, with goods; Glenageary, from Ardrossan, with coals; Oak, from Newport, with coals; Sarah Brough, from Birkenhead, with coals; Portway, from Manchester, with fuel oil; Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empty barrels; Carrowdore, from Manchester, with empty barrels; Elizabetta, from Stanlow, with asphalt, etc.; Slieve Bawn, from Holyhead, light.

## COMPANY NOTICES.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY (IRELAND).

Notice is hereby given that the Books in which Transfers of the CONSOLIDATED 4 PER CENT. DEBENTURE AND GUARANTEED STOCKS are registered will be closed from Friday, the 28th day of December, 1934, to Monday, the 14th day of January, 1935, both days inclusive.

F. C. WALLACE, Secretary.

Amiens street Station, Dublin,
14th December, 1934.

# Financial News & Notes

## TONE AND COMMENT

### DUBLIN BETTER

### GUINNESS STRONG

Dublin Stock market was stronger in tone yesterday, but there was very little increase in business. Free State Funds were steady, although trifling losses were recorded. Land Bonds were unchanged. War Loan was 1s. 3d. higher.

Corporation Stocks were unchanged, as were Rails and Dublin Tram issues.

The Bank section was harder, and both Nationals and Provincial Old improved.

The feature of the day was a sharp rise in Guinness units of 1s. 1½d. to 130s. 7½d. Alliance Gas, Bolands Preference, Ranks (Ireland) Preference, Parkes Debentures, Irish Cinemas Ordinary and Preference, Irish Shell Preference and Irish Sugar Preferences were all unchanged. Chocolate Debentures were 1s. 3d. and Burke Preferences 1s. 6d. lower. Dublin Brick rose 1s. 6d., and Merchants' Warehousing 1s.

The British Industrial section and Textiles had a harder appearance, although price changes either way did not exceed 7½d. Better things are expected of the new account, which opens on Monday.

## LONDON STEADY

### GILT-EDGED EASIER

There was a steady general tone in the London Stock markets yesterday, though business was on a small scale, as was only to be expected on the last day of the account, preparations for Monday's carry-over being in progress. The absence of fresh business gave Gilt-edged stocks a quieter appearance, but the tone as a whole was firm and most recent gains were fully held.

Among British Government stocks old Consols lost a small fraction of the recent advance, and one or two others showed small losses. Japanese descriptions improved on their recent gains in the Foreign market, and Brazilians also held their own.

British Rails were irregular for whereas Great Western 5 p.c. Pref. and Southern 5 p.c. Pref. both improved ⅛, several others were fractionally lower. There was a falling off in business in London Transport stocks, which finished unchanged on the day. There was not much business among Foreign Rails. Antofagasta lost 1½ and Cordoba Central First Debs. shed a point, but Central Argentine and B.A. Western hardened to the extent of ½. Canadian Pacifics moved against holders to the extent of ½. The only change among American Rails was in Union Pacifics, which put on a point.

Oils were steady, though quiet, while Rubbers showed little animation. In the Mining market the Kaffir dividends were without much effect. East Rand, Consols were lower on sales from the Cape owing to opposition to the terms of the Spaarwater flotation. South African Lands were on the dull side, but De Beers were active and higher and West Africans were rather better.

In the Industrial market there were several good features. Brewery shares were supported, with Guinness and Bass shares prominent. Trans-Atlantic issues were dull, Radios and Nickels being lower, while Ford Motors and Imperial Tobaccos did not quite hold the gains of the previous day.

## DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE

FUNDS AND BANKS FIRM. GUINNESS HARDER. TRAMS UNCHANGED. INDUSTRIALS MIXED.

In Funds, 5 p.c. National Loan eased ½ at 101 and 5 p.c. Second ditto repeated 113½. 4½ p.c. Third Loan shed ⅛ at 108⅞ and 3½ p.c. Fourth ditto ⅛ at 97⅞. 4½ p.c. Land Bonds at 112¾ and ditto (small lots under £200) at 112 were unchanged. 2½ p.c. Consols shed 1/16 at 90⅝. 3½ p.c. War Loan put on 1/16 at 107 1/16 after 107⅝, and ditto Deed 1 1/16 at 107⅞. Dublin Corporation 3½ p.c. Red. repeated 95 and Dublin Port and Docks 5 p.c. Red. 108.

Munster and Leinster Bank repeated 91s. National rose 3d. at 45s. 3d. and Provincial ½ at 25.

Guinness hardened 1s. 1½d. at 130s. 7½d. after 129s. 6d. and 129s. 10½d.

Cables "A" was ¾ lower at 18.

In Rails, Great Southern Debs. gained ½ at 66½.

Dublin Tramways Ord. unchanged at 110s.

Alliance Gas unaltered at 13⅝.

Bolands Pref. repeated 11¼ and Ranks (Ireland) Pref. 22s. 6d.

Among Industrials Associated Chocolate Debs. eased 1/16 at 10½, Burke Pref. 1s. 3d. at 38s., "Bats" 6d. at 125s. 3d., Chemicals 3d. at 36s. 1½d., Courtaulds 4½d. at 45s. 6d., and Shells 6d. at 45s. Dublin Brick rose 1s. 6d. at 14s. 6d., Merchants' Warehousing 1s. at 61s., Dunlops 7½d. at 48s. 7½d., Fords 6d. at 35s. 4½d., Imperial Tobacco 6d. at 138s. 9d., Coats 3d. at 66s. 3d., the "A" Pref. 3d. at 32s. 3d., and Linen Thread Pref. Ord. 3d. at 24s. 10½d. *Independent* Pref. repeated 25s. and Parkes Debs 21s. 3d.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| 5% National Loan 101 (101½) | Dublin Trams Ord. *110/- (110/-) |
| 5% Second Loan *113½ (113½) | Do. Pref....11½a (11¾) |
| 4½% Third Loan 108⅞ (109) | Alliance Gas..13½ (13⅞) |
| 3½% Fourth Loan *97⅞ (98) | Bolands Ord. 118/-a (117/-) |
| 4½% Land Bonds 112½ ½ ½ ½ (112¾) | Do. Pref....*11½ (11½) |
| Do. (small lots under £200) ......112 (112) | Johnston Mooney Ord. 110/-b 114/-a (114/-) |
| 2½% Consols..90⅝ (90¼) | Ranks (Ireland) Pref. 22/6 (22/6) |
| 3½% War Loan 107⅝ 1/16 (107¾) | Assd. Chocolate Deb. 10½ (10⅝) |
| Do. Deed..107⅞ (106⅞) | Burke Pref..*38/- (39/3) |
| Dublin 3½% ......95 (95) | Art Dwlgs....15a (14½) |
| Dublin Port 5% Red. 108 (108) | Dublin Brick..14/6 (13/-) |
| Bank Stock 288b 290a (288) | Goulding Ord. 98/-b 100/-a (98/-) |
| Hibernian..8½b 8⅝a (8½) | Hammond Lane 55/-a (50/-) |
| Mun. & Lein..91/- (91/-) | Independent Pref. 25/- (25/-) |
| National .....45/3 (45/-) | Merchants Warehousing 61/- (60/-) |
| Provincial ....*25 (24½) | Parkes Deb.*21/3 (21/3) |
| Do. New.......21a (21) | B.A.T. ....*125/3 (125/9) |
| Royal ......12½a (12½) | Dunlops ...*48/7½ (48/-) |
| Guinness..129/6 *9/10½ *30/7½ (129/6) | Fords ...35/4½ (34/10½) |
| Do. Pref...15⅝b (15⅞) | Chemicals.36/1½ (36/4½) |
| Cables A ......*18 (18¾) | Imperial Tobacco 138/9 (138/3) |
| G.N. Ord........6b (6½) | Coats ........66/3 (66/-) |
| Do. Pref.......10b (11) | Do. A Pref.*32/3 (32/-) |
| Do. Guar......33b (33) | Courtaulds.45/6 (45/10½) |
| Do. Deb...60½b 61a (60½) | Linen Thread 6% Pref. Ord...24/10½ (24/7½) |
| G.S. Ord..........13b (15) | Shells .......45/- (45/6) |
| Do. Guar...46½b 47½a (47) | |
| Do. Deb........66½ (66) | |

Other Business Done.

| | |
|---|---|
| Beaufort Bor. Rub..15/3 | Irish Shell 4½% Pref. (£1, iss. at 20/6, fully paid) ......21/3 |
| Carroll (P. J.) Ord. 31/1½ 1/- | Irish Sugar 6% Pref. (iss. at 21/-, 11/- pd.).11/- 11/- 11/- 11/- |
| Do. 6% Pref ...*22/7½ | Singer & Co. ......15/1¼ |
| Irish Cinemas Ord. (5/-, iss. at 6/-, 3/- paid) ......3/- 3/- 3/- | Taylor, Walker Ord.45/3 |
| Do. 6% Pref. (iss. at 20/-, 10/- paid) 9/- 9/- 9/- 9/- | War Loan 3½% Stock, 1952 (Bk. of Eng. Reg.. trans. by Deed) .........*107 5/16 |

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Irish Banks' Rate (June 30, 1932) | 3 % |
| Loans on Government Stocks transferred | 2½% |
| Deposits under £2,000 | 1 % |
| Deposits of £2,000 and over | 1½% |

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Contango | Dec. 17 | Jan. 7 |
| Ticket | Dec. 18 | Jan. 8 |
| Intermediate | Dec. 19 | Jan. 9 |
| Account Day | Dec. 20 | Jan. 10 |

## DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

### RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the prices recorded or dealt in on Friday, December 7th:—

RISES

| | Price Dec. 7. | Price Dec. 14. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2nd National Loan | 113 | 113½ | +½ |
| 3rd National Loan | 108⅝ | 108⅞ | +¼ |
| 4th National Loan | 97⅜ | 97⅞ | +½ |
| Agricul. Cr. Bonds (1) | 105 1/16 | 105¼ | +3/16 |
| Consols | 89⅛ | 90⅝ | +1½ |
| War Loan | 106⅜ | 107 7/16 | +1 1/16 |
| Funding Loan | 118½ | 119 | +½ |
| Victory Bonds | 116⅝ | 117 5/16 | +11/16 |
| Land Stock, 1903 | 90⅛ | 90⅝ | +½ |
| Land Stock, 1909 | 94¾ | 95½ | +¾ |
| Local Loans | 95 13/16 | 96¼ | +7/16 |
| India 3½ p.c. | 96⅛ | 96½ | +⅜ |
| India 3 p.c. | 87¼ | 88 5/16 | +1 1/16 |
| Northern Bank "A" | 104/0 | 104/6 | +0/6 |
| Provincial Bank | 24½ | 25 | +½ |
| Great Northern Guar. | 32½ | 33 | +½ |
| Great Southern Ord. | 12½ | 15 | +2½ |
| Carroll Pref. | 22/3 | 22/7½ | +0/4½ |
| Burke Deb. | 8 | 8 1/16 | +1/16 |
| Chem. Indust. Pref. | 33/9 | 34/3 | +0/6 |
| Civil Service Building | 33 | 34 | +1 |
| Courtaulds | 45/3 | 45/6 | +0/3 |
| Dublin Brick Ord. | 13/0 | 14/6 | +1/6 |
| Dunlops | 48/4½ | 48/7½ | +0/3 |
| Guinness Ord. | 128/9 | 130/7½ | +1/10½ |
| Imp. Tobacco | 136/4½ | 138/9 | +2/4½ |
| *Irish Times* 5½ p.c. | 21/0 | 21/6 | +0/6 |
| Jameson Debs. | 8¼ | 8½ | +¼ |
| Lever 8 p.c. | 31/3 | 32/0 | +0/9 |
| Merchants' W'housing | 60/0 | 61/0 | +1/0 |
| Parkes Deb. | 21/0 | 21/3 | +0/3 |
| Shells | 44/3 | 45/0 | +0/9 |
| Switzer Debs. | 7¼ | 7½ | +¼ |
| Unilever | 22/0 | 22/10½ | +0/10½ |
| Walpole Pref. | 55/0 | 60/0 | +5/0 |

FALLS

| | Price Dec. 7. | Price Dec. 14. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dublin 5 p.c. Insc. | 111 | 109 | −2 |
| Bank of Ireland | 290 | 288 | −2 |
| Great Northern Ord. | 6¾ | 6¼ | −½ |
| Great Southern Deb. | 67 | 66½ | −½ |
| Arnott Ord. | 82/6 | 81/0 | −1/6 |
| B.A.T. | 126/9 | 125/3 | −1/6 |
| Bleachers | 6/9 | 5/9 | −1/0 |
| Boots Pure Drug | 47/0 | 46/0 | −1/0 |
| Burke Pref. | 39/9 | 38/0 | −1/9 |
| Cables "A" | 18¾ | 18 | −¾ |
| Cairnes Ord. | 7 | 6 15/16 | −1/16 |
| Calico Printers | 10/4½ | 9/9 | −0/7½ |
| Carroll Ord. | 32/0 | 31/0 | −1/0 |
| Chem. Indust. Ord. | 36/9 | 36/1½ | −0/7½ |
| Chocolate Deb. | 10¾ | 10½ | −¼ |
| Coats Ord. | 67/6 | 66/3 | −1/3 |
| Dublin Tram Ord. | 118/0 | 110/0 | −8/0 |
| Dublin Tram Pref. | 12 | 11½ | −½ |
| Dunville | 23/1½ | 20/6½ | −2/7 |
| Ford Motors | 36/1½ | 35/4½ | −0/9 |
| Irish-Amer. Oil Pref. | 22/0 | 21/0 | −1/0 |
| Johnston, Mooney Ord. | 115/0 | 114/0 | −1/0 |
| Johnston, Mooney Pref. | 115/0 | 114/6 | −0/6 |
| Sewing Cotton | 43/9 | 43/6 | −0/3 |
| Vickers Ord. | 10/0 | 9/9 | −0/3 |

## BELFAST

Belfast Exchange closed the week with a firm tone. The 3½ p.c. War Loan changed hands at 107⅝ and 107¾. Northern Bank "A" were dealt in at 105s. and 104s. for small lots. Provincial Banks brought 25, and Westminster (Part Paid) 92s. Belfast Corporation 5½ p.c. 1937-47 Stock was done at 105¼. Railways were quiet. London and N.E. Defd. fetched 7¼. Among Industrials, Belfast Ropeworks Ord. were done at 22s. 9d., and small lots 22s. 6d. Coats brought 66s. 4½d., and English Sewing Cottons 43s. 6d. Distillers changed hands at 94s. 3d. Dunvilles repeated previous price, 21s. Robinson and Cleaver Pref. was done at 21s. 7½d. Imperial Tobacco were recorded at 219s. 1½d. and Chemical Prefd. at 34s. W. M. Cuthbert Ord. were dealt in at 35s. 6d., Dunlops at 48s. 9d., and White Tomkins at 41s. 6d. Associated Cements changed hands at 39s. 7½d., Dorman Longs at 1s. 7½d., Gas Light and Coke at 28s. 1½d., and an oddment of L.M. and S. Railway 4 p.c. Pref. at 83 11/16.

## MARKETS AT A GLANCE

*Friday Night.*

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London steady.
Dublin better.
Birmingham Motors irregular.
Manchester Textiles steady
New York firm.

MONEY:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bank of England Rate | 2 | p.c. |
| Last Year | 2 | p.c. |
| Irish Banks' Rate | 3 | p.c. |
| London Day-to-Day Loans | ½ | p.c. |
| London Three Months' Bills | 7/16 | p.c. |
| Price of Gold | 140/9 | |
| Price of Silver | 24 7/16d. | |

## THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET

### BREWERIES IN DEMAND

Although dealers in the Industrial Market yesterday were occupied with preliminary carry-over arrangements, a fair business was transacted in some of the leading home issues.

With Wall Street in uncertain mood again the trans-Atlantic issues were offered in the late dealings. Radios weakened to 5⅝, while Nickels finished around 22 11/16. "Emmies" reflected American tendencies and eased to 28s. 4d.

Cable and Wireless stocks found fresh supporters at first, but prices eased somewhat later.

Electric Supply shares generally had a harder appearance.

As regards Electrical Equipments, Generals met with a fair demand and rose 4½d. to 49s. 9d.

With less business passing, Coal shares became slightly easier.

## THE VALUE OF THE £

| | Friday. | Thursday. | Per Cent. of Parity. |
|---|---|---|---|
| NEW YORK | 4.94¾* | 4.94⅛ | 101.7 |
| MONTREAL | 4.89 | 4.90 | 100.5 |
| AMSTERDAM | 7.31½ | 7.30¾ | 60.4 |
| BERLIN | 12.31½ | 12.30½ | 60.3 |
| BRUSSELS | 21.17 | 21 15 | 60.5 |
| COPENHAGEN | 22 40 | 22.40 | 123.4 |
| GENEVA | 15.27½ | 15.27 | 60.6 |
| MILAN | 57 15/32 | 57 13/32 | 62.6 |
| OSLO | 19.90½ | 19.90½ | 109.6 |
| PARIS | 75 1/32 | 74 31/32 | 60.4 |
| STOCKHOLM | 19.39½ | 19.39½ | 106.8 |
| KOBE | 14 1/32 | 14 1/32 | 175.3 |

Despite encouraging Iron and Steel output figures for November, the share market was quiet and without special feature.

Business in Aviation and kindred descriptions remained small.

In the Motor group a certain amount of end-of-the-account selling was in progress. Firm spots were not, however, lacking. Thos. Tilling continued to receive attention and further advanced 6d. to 102s. 6d. Fords were subjected to moderate profit-taking sales, and reacted 6d. to 35s. 6d.

Further encouraging results brought in fresh buyers for Brewery shares, and some satisfactory gains were recorded at the close. Guinness finished 1s. 6d. to the good at 130s. 6d., and Bass Ratcliff improved to a like extent at 110s. 6d.

The Tobacco leaders were subject to a certain amount of end-account profit-taking. "Bats" gave way to 6 5/16, and "Imps" to 138s. 6d. On the other hand, Carreras received support, the "A" Shares closing around 7 5/16.

Textile shares finished the week on an irregular note, although there was a fair amount of business. Patons and Baldwins were dull, losing 9d. to 55s.

In the Rayon group Courtaulds closed unchanged on balance at 45s. 9d. British Celanese met with support, and strengthened to 11s. 6d.

Marks and Spencers were again a good feature among Drapery and Departmental Stores issues with a rise of 1/16 to 12 7/16. Woolworths lost the turn at 114s.

Firm spots were the exception rather than the rule in the Miscellaneous section. British Oxygens gave way to 82s. 9d. on end-account realisations. Turner and Newalls firmed up to 51s. 9d. and Pinchin Johnsons to 42s. 9d. Crittals held around the previous level, but the Pref. lost 1s. to 15s. 6d. Dunlops reacted to 48s. 6d., and Molasses were out of favour around 18s. 6d.

### OILS INACTIVE

Taken as a whole, the Oil share market was disappointing yesterday, particularly following the firmness which developed on Thursday.

At the opening prices were steady, but public interest was still small, while professionals showed little inclination to enter into commitments of importance on the last day of the account. Hesitation was occasioned by the mixed character of the news received overnight from New York in regard to the United States oil situation.

Preliminaries in connection with the carry-over revealed a very small open position, and contangoes were easily arranged. Apart from the fact that Shells were "takers-in," nothing of interest transpired.

### RUBBERS BARELY STEADY

Rubber shares were inactive and barely steady. The commodity was quiet, changing hands at 6½d. for spot and down to 6⅝d. for delivery a year ahead. The total stocks of rubber in the United Kingdom are estimated at about 2,600 tons higher on the week, most of the accumulation being at Liverpool, where the stock is reckoned at about 1,600 tons more than last week.

## MOTORS AND TEXTILES

### BIRMINGHAM

Motors active, but easier. Standards relapsed to 63/3; Rileys 65/-, Napiers 9/9, Fords 35/4½, Raleighs 37/4½, all lower; Leylands stronger, 39/3; Small Arms buoyant, 9/-.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alvis | 12/4½ | Rolls | 108/- |
| Austins | 42/ | Rovers | 12/1½ |
| Bluemels | 37/9 | S.T.D. Pref. | 3/6 |
| Dennis | 23/10½ | Singers | 15/- |
| Enfields | 29/3 | Triumphs | 10/- |
| Humbers | 19 3 | Dunlops | 48/9 |
| Lucas | 62/9 | | |

### MANCHESTER

Fair support for Textiles. Bleachers, Sewing Cottons and Calicos a shade firmer.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bleachers | 6/3-6/6 | Velvets | 6/6-7/ |
| Calicos | 9/9-10/- | Courtaulds | 45/3-45/9 |
| Dyers | 9/3-9/6 | Dunlops | 48/6-49/- |
| Cottons | 43/6-44/6 | Turner & Newall | 51/6-52/- |
| Spinners | 7/3-7/9 | | |
| "Slubbers" | 4/9-5/- | Wall Paper Def. | 57/6-58/- |
| Coats | 65/9-66/3 | A. & S. Henry | 11/-11/3 |

## PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES

| | |
|---|---|
| Arg. Nav. Debs. | 2-1½ dis. |
| Australian 3½ p.c. | ½-¾ prem. |
| Central Elec. | 3¾-4 prem. |
| London and Home Counties Elec. | 1⅛-⅜ prem. |
| Rhokana Corp 5½ p.c. Pref. | 3 dis.-3 prem. |
| Stockton-on-Tees 3 p.c. ('60) | par-½ prem. |
| United Steel Debs. (fully paid) | 104⅜-⅝ |
| Vlakfontein | 1 13/32-15/32 |

## CORK

First National Loan, 101; Second Loan repeated 113½; Third Loan easier, 108⅞; Land Bonds steady, 112¼; War Loan better, 107¾; Munster and Leinsters done at 90s.; Provincial (New) sellers, 21; Great Southern Deb. improved to 66½; Coats Ord. hardened to 66s. 3d.; Dublin Corporation 3½ p.c. Stock, 95; Guinness Ord., 129s. 6d.; Cinemas Ord. done at 3s.; Ranks (Ireland) Ord. sellers, 14s. 9d.

## FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS

### The Slane Brick Company, Ltd.

A preliminary notice appears in this issue of the prospectus of the Slane Brick Company, Ltd. The capital is £25,000 in 15,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares and 10,000 Ordinary shares, both of £1. The whole of the capital will be offered at par. The income tax relief section of the Finance Act of 1932 will apply to dividends paid by the company. An influential board of directors has been formed, and the company will erect and equip an up-to-date factory at Slane, County Meath, for the manufacture of bricks, tiles and all descriptions of clay products.

### John Jameson to Redeem Debentures

We understand that the famous Irish whiskey distilling firm of John Jameson and Son, Limited, is shortly to redeem at 105 the whole of the outstanding Debenture issue, amounting to over £300,000. Stockholders will, therefore, receive £10 10s. for each £10 share. The Debentures were created in 1902, and carry interest at the rate of 4 per cent. They are secured under a trust deed which empowers the company to redeem the principal at 105 at any time on six months' notice. It is understood that no fresh issue of capital is to be made, and that the Debentures are being paid off out of accumulated reserves.

### Rand Gold Dividends

The following is a complete list of the South African Gold Mining dividends declared to date. They may be compared with the amounts paid in December, 1933, and June, 1934. The dividends are payable about January 31, 1935:—

| | Dec., 1933. Per Share. s. d. | June, 1934. Per Share. s. d. | Dec., 1934. Per Share. s. d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rand Mines (5s.) | 3 6 | 3 6 | 4 0 |
| Cons. Main Reef (£1) | 1 9 | 1 9 | 2 6 |
| Crown Mines (10s.) | 8 0 | 8 0 | 9 0 |
| Durban Deep (10s.) | 1 6 | 1 3 | 1 3 |
| East Rand (10s.) | 1 6 | 1 3 | 1 6 |
| Geldenhuis Deep (£1) | 3 0 | 2 0 | 3 0 |
| Modder East (£1) | 2 6 | 2 6 | 3 0 |
| Modder "B" (5s.) | 1 3 | 1 9 | 1 9 |
| New Modder (10s.) | 5 0 | 5 6 | 5 9 |
| Nourse Mines (£1) | 1 9 | 2 0 | 2 0 |
| Rose Deep (£1) | 0 6 | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Van Ryn Gold (£1) | 2 0* | 2 0* | 2 0* |
| Daggafontein (£1) | 2 3 | 2 9 | 4 3 |
| Witwatersrand Deep (£1) | 2 0 | 2 0 | 2 0 |
| New Era Cons. (5s.) | 0 7½ | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Government Areas (5s.) | 3 0 | 3 1½ | 3 1½ |
| Langlaagte (£1) | 1 6 | 2 0 | 2 6 |
| New State Areas (£1) | 2 6 | 2 6 | 3 0 |
| Van Ryn Deep (£1) | 2 0 | 3 3 | 3 3 |
| Witwatersr'd (Knights) (£1) | 2 0 | 1 6 | 1 6 |
| Randfontein (£1) | 1 0 | 1 0 | 1 9 |
| Brakpan (£1) | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 6 |
| Kleinfontein New | 1 0 | — | 1 0 |
| Springs (£1) | 5 3 | 5 0 | 5 9 |
| West Springs (£1) | 1 3 | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Sub Nigel (10s.) | 7 0 | 7 6 | 8 0 |
| Simmer and Jack (2s. 6d.) | 0 5 | 0 3 | 0 3 |
| Robinson Deep "A" | 1 6 | 1 6 | 1 6 |
| Robinson Deep "B" (7s 6d) | 1 9 | 2 0 | 2 0 |
| Modder Deep (5s.) | 3 0 | 3 0 | 3 0 |
| Geduld (£1) | 6 0 | 6 6 | 7 0 |
| East Geduld (£1) | 3 6 | 4 0 | 4 3 |
| West Rand Cons. (10s.) | 0 9 | 0 9 | 1 6 |
| Luipaard's Vlei (2s.) | 0 8 | 1 0 | — |

*Free of tax.

### Eileen Alannah

A circular to shareholders states:—Negotiations for a long period have taken place with Cam and Motor Gold Mining Company (1919), Ltd., having as an objective that that company should extend one or more of its levels on the Cam lode into the Eileen property, so as to ascertain whether rich lode remakes in the Eileen mine. The board state that terms, to be embodied in an agreement for ten years renewable, have now been concluded. Cam and Motor, at its own expense, will continue its No. 14 level to the Eileen company's physical boundary, and, if so decided, also their No. 19 level. For the facilities granted, Cam and Motor will receive an option to subscribe for 500,000 Eileen Deferred shares at par until December 31, 1936. The Eileen Company will spend £50,000 in developing and exploring the area within its boundary. Thereafter further development expenditure will be borne by this company as to 65 per cent., and 35 per cent. by Cam and Motor. The net divisible profits, subject to the provision of agreed reserves, will be divisible in the same ratio.

### West African Gold Developments

It is understood that an important development in the West African goldfield will be made early in the new year, when a public issue is to be made of 2,000,000 Ordinary shares of 5s. each on behalf of Consolidated Gold Concessions, Ltd. This company has been registered with a nominal capital of £2,000,000, and is acquiring twenty-five concessions, covering 700 square miles in the recognised gold belt of the colony.

### Irish Sugar Company

The Irish Sugar Company has been informed that the Minister for Finance has, after consultation with the Minister for Industry and Commerce, certified that he is satisfied that the conditions contained in Sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, have been complied with in relation to the 500,000 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each issued by the company in accordance with their prospectus dated 31st October, 1934. The income tax relieving provisions of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, accordingly apply to the new Preference shares. The relief thus given amounts to 20 per cent. of the income tax deducted from the dividend

### Fry's Debentures

J. S. Fry and Sons, Ltd., chocolate and cocoa manufacturers, proposes to redeem at par on June 30, 1935, the £500,000 of 4 per Cent. Debenture Stock.

### New W. African Gold Venture

A new West African gold mining proposition will make its appearance early in the new year. The Consolidated Gold Concessions, which has been registered with a nominal capital of £2,000,000, will make an issue of 2,000,000 5s. shares. This company is acquiring 25 concessions, stated to have been well reported upon, covering an area of 700 square miles contiguous to many well-known existing properties.

### Diamond Production Next Year?

"It is understood that Consolidated Diamond Mines of S.W. Africa has recruited a number of natives with a view to resuming small-scale production early in the new year," according to the monthly review of Barclays Bank (D.C. and O.). Mining operations ceased in 1932 and have not since been resumed. A substantial interest in the company is held by De Beers Consolidated Mines, which, as recently announced, is to resume blueground washing in March.

### Tilling and British Automobile Traction

It appears that the declaration of an interim dividend of 5 per cent. on the Ord. shares, against 4 per cent. previously paid for some years, has given rise to the impression that the directors intend to increase the dividend for the complete year. The directors, therefore, think it desirable to state that this inference must not be drawn from the fact that the interim dividend was increased

### Lena Gold Shareholders' Decision

Shareholders of Lena Goldfields, Ltd., yesterday authorised ratification of the agreement to accept the tentative offer by the Soviet Government of £3,000,000, payable without interest over twenty years, for taking over all the company's business in Russia.

### Marks and Spencer Issue Approved

At yesterday's extraordinary meeting of Marks and Spencer, Ltd., resolutions for splitting the existing Ordinary Shares and for increasing the capital by the creation of 2,200,000 additional "A" Ordinary Shares of 5s. each were carried unanimously. Mr. Simon Marks, who presided, said it was necessary to make capital provision in advance for future development. The first step, Mr. Marks continued, is to invite existing holders of the Ordinary and "A" Shares to increase their holdings on favourable terms.

## THE INDUSTRIAL CREDIT COMPANY, LIMITED

### SUCCESSFUL FIRST YEAR

### NET PROFIT OF £18,105

The first annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Industrial Credit Company, Limited, was held at the offices of the company, 9 Leinster street, Dublin, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1934, at 2.30 p.m.

The directors present were:—Messrs. John P. Colbert (chairman), T. Caffrey, L. J. Kettle, J. J. O'Leary, and J. F. Punch.

The Secretary (Mr. J. P. Beddy) read the notice convening the meeting and the auditors' certificate and report.

The Chairman said: Gentlemen, the report and accounts have been circulated, and I presume that I may follow the usual procedure and take them as read. (Agreed.)

The company received its certificate entitling it to commence business on December 1, 1933, and the profit and loss account before you, therefore, covers a period of eleven months. During the latter part of this period our activities as an issuing house were suspended by a prolonged newspaper stoppage, and I am sure you will agree that in the circumstances a net profit of £18,105 (before charging income tax and corporation profits tax) makes a satisfactory showing for our first accounting period. After making provision for income tax and corporation profits tax, there remains a balance available of £13,554 0s. 4d. The directors are not recommending the payment of a dividend in our first year, but have followed the more prudent course of proposing that the balance of profits available be applied in strengthening the internal position of the company. The amount we propose to write off preliminary expenses—namely, £2,085 4s. 11d.—represents the entire amount which our preliminary expenses would have been if we had been registered with an authorised capital of £500,000 instead of £5,000,000—that is to say, if our authorised capital was the same as our issued capital. The balance of the preliminary expenses, amounting to £11,250, represents capital stamp duty on £4,500,000. We propose that a sum of £5,000 be set aside as investment reserve, and a like sum as reserve for contingencies, leaving a moderate balance of profit to be carried forward to the next account.

The balance sheet, I think, requires very little explanation. The item of £300,000, appearing under the head of Temporary Advances, represents a large proportion of our capital, but this amount is at present in process of repayment, having been advanced in anticipation of a capital issue underwritten by us, which has since been successfully made. The market value of the investments, taken at the latest Stock Exchange quotations, is in excess of the amount shown in the balance sheet.

ESTABLISHMENT OF CAPITAL MARKET IN SAORSTAT.

Owing to the success which has from the commencement attended our activities as an issuing house, it has not been necessary for us to raise any further capital beyond our initial issue of £500,000. During the year to date, the net cash total of home industrial issues made in the Dublin capital market has been £2,817,440, practically all of which was absorbed by the public. Out of this total the Industrial Credit Company was responsible for £1,748,750, which represents over 60 per cent. of the entire issues. Of the amount mentioned, the underwriters were called upon to take up only £123,000, or less than 7½ per cent. I think we may claim, therefore, that the Industrial Credit Company has already in its first year achieved success in one of the primary purposes for which it was set up—namely, the establishment of a capital market in Dublin.

NEED FOR CAUTION.

From our experience during the year it has become evident that there exists in Dublin a very considerable market for home industrial issues, and also that investors here have confidence in the future of native industrial enterprises, even entirely new undertakings. If the market is to be established on a secure basis, it is of the highest importance that that confidence should not be abused. The investor can best safeguard himself against issues of an undesirable character by confining himself to those which are sponsored by issuing houses with a standing and reputation to maintain. In this matter the Industrial Credit Company takes a broader view of its responsibilities than is usual with issuing houses that are run purely for the making of profits. Not only does it occupy naturally a position of leadership in this field, but it has also a certain national responsibility in seeing that any new projects which come before it are planned on the soundest possible lines technically, commercially, and financially. Every underwriting proposition that comes before us is examined with the greatest care, and is not presented to the public unless we are perfectly satisfied that it represents a reasonable industrial risk.

PRESENT YEAR'S PROSPECTS.

With its paid-up capital of £500,000 your company has greater financial resources than in the case of the majority of similar institutions, and is capable of catering for the entire needs of the capital market here. We have before us at present a considerable number of underwriting propositions, some of which will probably be presented to the public over the next few months. The present year promises to be for your company an exceedingly active and, I hope, a profitable one. Altogether it would appear from our short experience that the company is entering on what promises to be a long career of usefulness in a work of essential national importance.

I would remind Irish industrialists that our principal function is the underwriting of capital issues, that we are the leading issuing house in the Irish Free State, and that we are at all times prepared to consider sympathetically proposals for capital expansion.

I should like to add that our relations with the Stock Exchanges, and with the banks, whose co-operation is so necessary to our work, have been exceedingly harmonious throughout.

DETAILS OF CAPITAL ISSUES NEGOTIATED.

The capital issues which we have negotiated during the year are as follows:—

| | £ |
|---|---|
| *RANKS (IRELAND), LTD.: 350,000 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each at 23s. per share, and 175,000 Ordinary shares of 5s. each at 15s. per share | 533,750 |
| IRISH SUGAR COMPANY, LTD.: £500,000 4 per cent. Guaranteed Debenture Stock at par | 500,000 |
| ARKLOW POTTERY, LTD.: 35,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each at par, and 30,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each at par | 65,000 |
| IRISH TANNERS, LTD.: 48,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each at par, and 228,000 Ordinary shares of 5s. each at par | 105,000 |
| THE IRISH ALUMINIUM COMPANY, LTD.: 10,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each at par, and 10,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each at par | 20,000 |
| IRISH SUGAR COMPANY, LTD.: 500,000 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £1 each at 21s. per share | 525,000 |
| | £1,748,750 |

The following brief notes on these companies may be of interest:—

RANKS (IRELAND), LTD.—This company paid its Preference dividend for the period to June 30th on August 1st, and the Preference dividend for the full half-year to December 31st will be paid on February 1st next. I understand that the Ordinary dividend will probably be declared before the end of March next. It will be in respect of a period of about nine and a half months—i.e., from the date of the issue to December 31st. An interim dividend of 3d. per 5s. share was paid on September 1st on account of that period.

IRISH SUGAR COMPANY, LTD.—This company appears to be making excellent progress, and every holder of the 4 per cent. Government-guaranteed Debenture Stock, or the 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares, can rest assured that he has a first-class investment. The Carlow factory commenced the manufacture of sugar from the beet crop of this last season on October 29th last. Its average daily through-put of beet for the past six weeks has exceeded that of any previous season, this having been made possible by the modifications in plant and machinery effected since the close of the 1933-34 campaign. The transport arrangements have proved fully adequate to cope with the increased traffic. The construction of the three new factories was completed in time to enable production to be commenced on the dates planned, and slicing of beet was commenced at Thurles on November 15th, at Mallow on November 22nd, and at Tuam on November 23rd. The difficulties inevitably associated with an initial sugar beet campaign have been less serious at these factories than are usually experienced, and beet deliveries had to be suspended on only one occasion, and then but to one factory. Despite the fact that many of the beet-growers this year had not previously even seen sugar beet, the yield of the crop in tonnage per acre is well up to the average of recent years. As regards sugar content, the 1934 basic price of 30s. per ton is for roots containing 15½ per cent. of sugar, and the average price paid so far has been 37s. 6d. per ton for Mallow, and 35s. for Carlow, Thurles and Tuam, the average sugar content being approximately 18½ per cent. for the deliveries at Mallow and approximately 17½ per cent. at the other factories. A particularly gratifying feature this year is that farmers supplying beet are utilising a much larger quantity of the molassed pulp, which is an excellent feeding stuff for most classes of live stock.

ARKLOW POTTERY, LTD.—The issue in this case was made at the end of May. The construction of the buildings and also of three biscuit kilns has now been completed, and the installation of a tunnel oven for glazing and an electric kiln for decorating are nearing completion. These are the very latest of their kind, incorporating every modern improvement. It is hoped to commence decorating early in February and glazing in the following month, and very shortly afterwards the actual potting section. It is expected that the necessary skilled hands will be trained in the shortest possible time.

IRISH TANNERS, LTD.—This company also has made satisfactory progress, and is at present giving employment to 82 hands. It is expected that the company will be in full production early in the new year, and will then be able to supply a steady output of various types of sole leather suitable for both boot and shoe manufacturers and repairers.

THE IRISH ALUMINIUM CO., LTD.—This is a small company in point of capital, but will, I believe, prove to be a large company in respect of turnover and variety of products. Since the issue in July last, the company has been exploring a number of new lines, and it is possible that the ultimate turnover will greatly exceed the prospectus estimate. The construction of the factory and the installation of the machinery are now practically completed. Production was started last week on hot water bottles, and production on kettles, teapots, stewpans and articles of general hollow-ware will follow this week, and it is expected that the factory will be in full production before the end of this month.

The report and accounts were adopted.

Messrs. T. Caffrey and J. J. O'Leary were elected directors. The remaining three directors will be nominated by the Minister for Finance.

The auditors, Messrs. Kevans and Son, were re-appointed.

*In association with Messrs. Butler and Briscoe and Quadrant Trust, Limited.

## DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

### MORE GOLD RESULTS

UNION CORPORATION GROUP.

**Geduld Proprietary.**—7/- per share, against 6/6 in June last and 6/- in December, 1933.

**East Geduld.**—Dividend of 4/3 per share, against 4/- in June and 3/9 a year ago.

**Modder Deep.**—Dividend of 3/- per share (same).

**Associated Newspapers.**—Third quarterly interim dividend of 4d. per share on the Deferred shares. Two similar dividends have been paid this year, while last year the three quarterly interims to date were of 3d. per share.

**Ariston Gold.**—Profit £14,454. Dividend on Ordinary of 10 per cent., less tax, for year.

**Bukit Ijok Selangor Rubber.**—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax. Dividends in 1933 totalled 5 per cent.

**Beau Sejour Rubber**—After deducting general charges and directors' fees, operations during the year to June 30 last resulted in a net profit of £4,484, from which has been deducted the debit of £1,009 brought in, leaving a balance of £3,475, to be carried forward. Since the accounts were made up the four and a half years' arrears to June 30 last on the Preference Shares have been paid, absorbing £2,173. For 1932-33 there was a loss of £877.

**Baru (Java) Estates.**—Interim dividend of 2 per cent., less tax.

**Beau Brummel (1928).**—Loss to October 31, £1,200, making debit forward £4,385.

**Colombo Commercial.**—Payment of 6 per cent., tax free, on Ordinary, making 10 per cent. (same).

**Cunard Steam Ship.**—The directors have decided to defer payment of the dividends on the 5 p.c. Cum. Preference Stock and 6 p.c. 2nd Cum Preference Stocks due to be made on 1st January next for the half year ending 31st December, 1934.

**Civil Service Co-operative Society.**—Report for thirteen months to September 30 shows gross profit and net rents received £29,801, plus income tax recovered £1,104, making £30,906; interest on mortgages and loan, general working expenses, etc., £38,928, leaving loss of £8,022.

**Egyptian Salt and Soda.**—Gross profit to August 31, £E.99,370; net profit, £E.54,945. Dividend of 2/3 per share. (Last year dividend 2/-.)

**Eastwoods Flettons.**—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual in respect of the Preferred-Ordinary shares.

**Egyptian Salt and Soda**—The accounts for the year ended August 31 last show that, after providing for general expenses, directors' fees, Debenture interest a sum of £E.33,542 (against £E.11,100) for depreciation, and transferring £E.4,000 (against £E.2,500) to reserve for bad and doubtful debts, the net profit amounted to £E.54,946, compared with £E.49,845 for the previous year, and £E.2,168 was brought in. The directors recommend a dividend of 11¼ per cent. for the year, as against 10 per cent. for 1932-33, leaving £E.2,513 to go forward.

**Kalidjereck Rubber.**—Interim dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on both Preference and Ordinary Shares.

**John Greenwood and Sons**—At the annual general meeting of John Greenwood and Sons, Ltd. (the operating company of John Greenwood Millers (1934), Ltd.), the Chairman stated that the profits of the company and its subsidiary, after paying all fixed charges and provision for depreciation, amounted to £90,175 for year ended October 27, 1934 as compared with £57,146 for the year ended October 28, 1933. A public issue was made on June 12 last of John Greenwood Millers (1934), Ltd.

**Newcastle Breweries.**—Profit £100,283. Final dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary, making 7 per cent.

**Pharaoh Cane.**—Payment of usual final dividend of 4 per cent. on Preference shares for half-year ending December 31.

**R. E. Jones.**—R. E. Jones, Ltd., hotel and café proprietors etc., is resuming dividends with a distribution of 5 per cent., less tax, in respect of the year to October 31 last. This is the first distribution since 1927, when 3 per cent. was paid on the former Preference capital. Under a reorganisation scheme, sanctioned last year, the company's capital was reduced from £1,700,000 to £825,914, and the Preference Shares converted into Ordinary Shares. The authorised capital was subsequently restored to the above amount in 10/- Ordinary Shares, the present issued total being £772,994.

## FOREIGN MAILS

The days of posting in Dublin (in the provinces correspondence should be posted a day earlier) during the coming week for the despatches of the principal overseas letter mails are indicated below:—

Monday.—Palestine, via Brindisi.

Tuesday.—Sierra Leone, via Liverpool; Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, via Marseilles.

Wednesday.—Nigeria, via Liverpool; Australia, Ceylon, Aden, India, Iraq, Hong Kong, Egypt, Palestine, Cyprus, Sudan, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Zanzibar, Dutch East Indies, French Indo China, Straits Settlements, Federated Malay States, Siam, Seychelles, via Marseilles; U.S.A., Canada, Bahamas, Bermudas, Central America, Cuba, Jamaica, Japan, Madeira, Mauritius, Nyasaland, via Southampton.

Thursday.—Canada, Newfoundland, via Glasgow; South Africa, Southern Rhodesia, via Southampton; Guianas (British, French and Dutch), Venezuela, West Indies, via London.

Friday.—Egypt, Palestine, via London.

Saturday.—U.S.A., Canada, Mexico, via Galway.

The Australian House of Representatives yesterday passed a bill granting £5,000 to Mrs. C. T. P. Ulm after a few members had hotly criticised the Government for having guaranteed her husband's trans-Pacific flight without informing Parliament.

# LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

## BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

| — | Closing. | | Rise or fall |
|---|---|---|---|
| Consols 2½% | 90¾ | 91 | −⅛ |
| Do. 4% | 118⅝ | 118⅝ | ...... |
| 3½% War Loan | 107⅝ | 107⅞ | −⅛ |
| Funding Loan | 119⅜ | 119⅝ | ...... |
| Victory Bonds | 117⅝ | 117⅝ | −⅛ |
| 3% Conversion Loan | 105⅜ | 105⅞ | ...... |
| 3½% Conversion Loan | 109 13/16 | 110 1/16 | −1/16 |
| 4½% Conversion Loan | 112¼ | 113 | −1/16 |
| 5% Conversion Loan | 123⅜ | 123⅞ | ...... |
| 2¾% Irish Land Stock 1903 | 91 | 93* | ...... |
| Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds | 111 | 113 | ...... |
| India 3% | 90½ | 91½ | +½ |
| Do. 3½% | 97½ | 98½ | ...... |
| Do. 4½% | 113 | 114 | ...... |
| Do. 5½% | 105¾ | 106¼ | −¼ |
| Local Loans | 96½ | 96¾ | −¼ |
| Sudan 5½% | 115 | 117 | ...... |

## PUBLIC BOARDS AND STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cent. El. Bd. 4% 1959-89 | 107 | 109 | +1 |
| Do. 5% 1950-70 | 115 | 117 | ...... |
| Do. 4½% 1951-73 | 109 | 111* | ...... |
| Do. 5% 1953-73 | 117 | 119 | ...... |
| Do. 4½% 1957-82 | 113 | 115 | +1 |
| Metro. Water 3 p.c. (a) | 96 | 98 | ...... |

## DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Australian Com. 5 p.c. 1945-75 | 113⅜ | 113⅞ | ...... |
| Do. do. 4 p.c. 1943-48 | 105 | 107 | ...... |
| Do. do. 3¾ p.c. 1948-53 | 103 | 105 | ...... |
| Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60 | 106 | 108 | ...... |
| Do. 4 p.c. 1953-58 | 112 | 114 | ...... |
| Cape 3½ p.c. Cons. | 101 | 103* | ...... |
| Ceylon 6 p.c. | 104 | 108 | ...... |
| N.S.W. 5 p.c., 1945-65 | 112¾ | 113¼ | ...... |
| Do. 4 p.c., 1942-62 | 102 | 104* | ...... |
| Do. 4½ p.c., 1935-45 | 100 | 102 | ...... |
| New Zealand 6 p.c., 1936-51 | 107 | 109 | ...... |
| Do. 3½ p.c., 1949-54 | 104 | 106 | ...... |
| Nigeria 6 p.c. | 128 | 130* | ...... |
| Queensland 3 p.c., 1940-60 | 108½ | 109 | ...... |
| South African 4 p.c., 1943-63 | 108 | 110 | ...... |
| Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75 | 115 | 117 | ...... |
| South Australian 5 p.c., 1945-75 | 112 | 112½ | ...... |
| Do. 4 p.c., 1940-60 | 102 | 104* | ...... |
| Victoria 4 p.c., 1940-60 | 102 | 104 | ...... |
| Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75 | 112 | 112½ | ...... |
| Western Australian 5 p.c., 1945-75 | 113¾ | 114¼ | ...... |
| Do. 4 p.c., 1942-62 | 102 | 104* | ...... |

## BANKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anglo-South American (£10) £5 paid | 2/6 | 7/6 | ...... |
| Bank of Australasia | 8⅝ | 9⅛ | ...... |
| Bank of England | 380 | 385 | ...... |
| Bank of Montreal | 40 | 43* | ...... |
| Bank of New South Wales | 23 | 25* | ...... |
| Bank of New Zealand | 2 | 2¼* | ...... |
| Barclay's "A" Shares | 10¾ | 11 | +1/16 |
| British Overseas | 4¼ | 4¾ | ...... |
| Canadian of Commerce | 32 | 35 | ...... |
| Chartered of India | 15¾ | 16¼ | ...... |
| Hong Kong and Shanghai | 135½ | 138½ | ...... |
| Lloyds | 59/0 | 60/0 | +0/3 |
| London and S. American | 90/0 | 95/0 | ...... |
| Martins, £20 (£2/10 paid) | 8⅝ | 8⅞ | ...... |
| Midland | 9 15/16 | 10 3/16 | ...... |
| National Discount "B" | 12¾ | 13 | ...... |
| National Provincial (£4 pd.) | 14 7/16 | 14 11/16 | ...... |
| Royal of Canada | 33½ | 35½ | ...... |
| Standard of South Africa | 13¾ | 14¼ | ...... |
| Union of Australia | 6⅝ | 6⅞ | ...... |
| Westminster Bank (£1) | 91/3 | 92/3 | ...... |

## FOREIGN BONDS.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 101 | Argentine 4 p.c. Rescn. | 101 | 102 | +½ |
| 105 | Austrian 6 p.c. Guar. | 101½ | 102½ | ...... |
| — | Do. 3% Guar. Stg. Bds | 103 | 105 | ...... |
| 101 | Belgian 3 p.c. | 100 | 102 | ...... |
| 38¾ | Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. 27 | 38½ | 39¼ | ...... |
| 99¼ | Do. 5 p.c. Funding | 99½ | 100½ | ...... |
| 88 | Do. 5 p.c. do., 1914 | 87 | 88 | ...... |
| 103 | Chinese 4½ p.c., 1898 | 102½ | 103½ | ...... |
| 81 | Do. 5 p.c., 1912 | 82¾ | 83¾ | +¼ |
| 97¾ | Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913 | 98 | 99 | +¼ |
| 100 | Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gld | 98 | 101 | ...... |
| 77½ | Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c. | 77 | 79 | ...... |
| 25 | Do. Tientsin Pukow 5 p.c. | 28 | 33 | ...... |
| 104¼ | Czecho-Slovakia Bonds | 104¾ | 105¾ | +¼ |
| 107 | Egyptian Unified | 107 | 108 | ...... |
| 28⅜ | French Loan 4 p.c. | 27½ | 28 | ...... |
| 59 | German 7 p.c. | 63¾ | 64¾ | +¾ |
| 48½ | Do. 5½ p.c. | 47¾ | 48¾ | ...... |
| — | Do. Potash 7 p.c. | 62 | 64 | −1 |
| 42 | Greek 7 p.c., 1924 | 41½ | 42½ | ...... |
| 35 | Do. 6 p.c. Stabs. | 34 | 37 | ...... |
| 33 | Do. 5 p.c., 1914 | 31 | 34 | ...... |
| 37½ | Italian Rentes | 34 | 37 | ...... |
| 92¼ | Japan 6 p.c., 1924 | 93¾ | 94¾ | +½ |
| 85¾ | Do. 5½ p.c. Conversion | 86¾ | 87¾ | +¼ |
| 11 | Mexican 5 p.c., '99 | 10½ | 12½ | ...... |
| 11¼ | Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas. | 10½ | 12½ | ...... |
| 45 | Peru 7½ p.c. Guano | 43 | 48 | ...... |
| 2 | Peruvian Corporation | 1½ | 2½ | +¼ |
| 9 | Do. Pref. | 8 | 9 | ...... |
| 38 | Do. Debs. | 39 | 41 | ...... |
| 90 | Poland 7 p.c. Sterling | 89½ | 90½ | ...... |
| 74½ | Portuguese 3 p.c. | 74 | 75 | ...... |
| — | Spanish 4 p.c. | 76 | 81 | ...... |
| 4 | Turkish 7½ p.c., 1933 | 3⅞ | 4⅜ | ...... |

## BRITISH RAILS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 51 | Great Western | 50½ | 51½ | ...... |
| — | Do. 5 p.c. Pref. | 115 | 117 | +½ |
| 22 | Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord. | 20½ | 21 | ...... |
| — | Do. 4 p.c. Pref. | 84 | 86 | ...... |
| — | Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref. | 103 | 105* | ...... |
| — | Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923 | 48 | 50 | −½ |
| 15¾ | Ldn., North-East. 5 p.c. Pref.-Ord. | 14½ | 15 | −¼ |
| 7⅝ | Do. Def.-Ord. | 7 | 7½ | −⅛ |
| — | Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref. | 69½ | 71½ | ...... |
| — | Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref. | 29 | 31 | ...... |
| — | Lond. Trans. 5 p.c. "A" | 132 | 135* | ...... |
| — | Do. 4½ p.c. "A" | 122 | 125* | ...... |
| — | Do. "B" | 126 | 129* | ...... |
| — | Do. "C" | 94½ | 95½ | ...... |
| 79 | Southern Pref.-Ord. | 77¾ | 78¾ | −¼ |
| 23¾ | Do. Def.-Ord. | 22 | 22½ | −½ |
| 115 | Do. 5 p.c. Pref. | 115½ | 117½ | +½ |

## COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 23 | Antofagasta Ord. | 20½ | 22½ | −1½ |
| — | Argentine G.W. Ord. | 9 | 11 | ...... |
| — | Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk. | 82 | 84 | ...... |
| 24 | Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn. | 22 | 24 | ...... |
| 9½ | Buenos Ayres & Pacific | 8½ | 10½ | ...... |
| 21½ | Buenos Ayres and W. | 21 | 23 | +½ |
| — | Canadian National Guar. | 85 | 87* | ...... |
| — | Canadian Pacific ($25) | 11⅝ | 11¾ | −¼ |
| 12½ | Central Argentine Ord. | 14 | 16 | +½ |
| 15 | Do. Def. | 7 | 9 | ...... |
| 8½ | Central Uruguay Ord. | 8½ | 10½ | ...... |
| 10 | Cordoba Central New | 3½ | 5½ | ...... |
| 4½ | Do. 1st Deb. | 42½ | 44½ | −1 |
| — | Do. 2nd Deb. | 11½ | 13½ | ...... |
| 11½ | Entre Rios | 12 | 14 | ...... |
| 13 | Do 6 p.c. Cum. Pref. | 19 | 22 | ...... |
| — | G and Trunk 4 p.c. Guar | 103 | 105* | ...... |
| — | Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb. | 107 | 110* | ...... |
| — | Internl. of Cent. America | 4 | 8 | ...... |
| 8½ | Leopoldina | 7½ | 9½ | ...... |
| 2 | Mexican Rails | 1 | 2 | ...... |
| 5 | Do. 8 p.c. Pref. | 4 | 5 | ...... |
| 2 | Do. 6 p.c. Pref. | 1 | 2 | ...... |
| 73 | San Paulo Ord. | 69 | 73 | ...... |
| 3 | United Havana | 2 | 4 | ...... |

## AMERICAN RAILS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — | Atchison | 53 | 56 | ...... |
| — | Chicago, Milwaukee New | 2½ | 3½ | ...... |
| — | New York Central | 20 | 23 | ...... |
| — | Pennsylvania | 23 | 26 | ...... |
| 17 | Southern Common | 15 | 18 | ...... |
| — | Southern Pacific | 16 | 19 | ...... |
| 107½ | Union Pacific | 105 | 110* | +1 |

## BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 109/6 | Bass Ratcliff Ord. | 109/6 | 111/6 | +1/6 |
| — | Brewers of Vancouver | 2/4½ | 2/10½ | −0/1½ |
| 12/0 | City of London Def. (5/-) | 11/3 | 12/3 | +0/3 |
| 87/6 | Courage Ord. | 87/6 | 89/6 | +0/9 |
| 93/9 | Distillers Ord. | 93/6 | 94/6 | ...... |
| 130/0 | Guinness Ord. (£1 units) | 129/6 | 131/6 | +1/6 |
| 97/0 | Ind Coope and Allsopp. | 98/9 | 99/9 | +0/3 |
| — | Mitchell and Butlers | 82/3 | 84/3 | ...... |
| 84/0 | South African Breweries | 83/9 | 84/9 | +0/9 |
| — | Walker (John) Pref. | 32/9 | 33/9 | ...... |
| 18/3 | Walker (P.) & R. Cain Or | 17/6 | 18/6 | ...... |
| 69/0 | Watney Combe Def. | 69/6 | 70/6 | +0/3 |

## DRAPERY AND STORES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 77/0 | Barker (John) | 75/9 | 76/9 | ...... |
| 8/6 | Cook, Son and Co. | 8/0 | 9/6 | ...... |
| — | Gamage (A. W.) | 17/3 | 18/9 | ...... |
| 79/0 | Harrod's Stores | 77/0 | 78/0 | −0/3 |
| 6/3 | Harrod's (B.A.) | 5/3 | 6/0 | +0/1½ |
| 23/6 | Maple and Co. | 22/9 | 22/9 | ...... |
| 11 15/16 | Marks & Spencer (10/-) | 12⅛ | 12¼ | +3/16 |
| — | Selfridges Pref. | 29/0 | 29/6 | ...... |
| 114/6 | Woolworth Ord. | 113/6 | 114/6 | −0/3 |
| 31/9 | Do. Pref. | 31/0 | 31/9 | ...... |

## ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — | Bournemouth & Poole | 78/3 | 79/3 | ...... |
| 36/6 | Charing Cross | 33/0 | 37/0 | ...... |
| 38/0 | City of London | 37/6 | 38/6 | ...... |
| 57/6 | County of London | 55/9 | 56/9 | +0/1½ |
| — | Electric Supply Corp. | 57/3 | 58/3 | −0/3 |
| — | Lancashire | 37/6 | 38/6 | ...... |
| 35/6 | London Electric | 35/6 | 36/6 | ...... |
| 54/3 | Metropolitan | 53/9 | 54/6 | +0/1½ |
| 34/3 | North-Eastern | 32/6 | 33/6 | ...... |
| 37/0 | St. James's | 37/6 | 39/6 | ...... |
| — | Scottish Power | 41/9 | 42/9 | ...... |
| — | South London | 34/6 | 36/6 | ...... |
| 36/3 | Westminster Electric | 35/6 | 36/6 | ...... |
| — | Whitehall Inv. Pref. | 20/6 | 22/6* | ...... |
| — | Yorkshire Ord. | 46/9 | 47/3 | −0/3 |

## ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — | Associated Electric Ind. | 23/9 | 24/9 | −0/3 |
| 24/6 | British Insul. Cables | 76/3 | 77/3 | −0/3 |
| 77/6 | Callenders Cable | 85/9 | 86/9 | ...... |
| 66/6 | Enfield Cable | 94/9 | 95/9 | ...... |
| — | English Electric | 6/6 | 7/0 | −0/1½ |
| 27/0 | Ever Ready (5/-) | 21/6 | 22/0 | −0/1½ |
| 48/9 | General Electric Ord. | 49/3 | 50/3 | +0/4½ |
| 6 15/16 | Henley's Telegraph | 6¾ | 6⅞ | ...... |
| 29/6 | Johnson and Phillips | 27/9 | 28/9 | ...... |
| — | Philips Lamps | 48/9 | 49/9 | ...... |
| 19/6 | Siemens | 19/3 | 20/3 | ...... |
| — | Telegraph Constr. | 23/6 | 24/6 | ...... |

## INSURANCE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — | Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.) | 27¼ | 28¼* | ...... |
| — | Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid) | 14¼ | 14¾ | ...... |
| — | Com. Un. £1 Units | 11 | 11¼ | ...... |
| — | Eagle Star Ord. £3 | 19 | 20 | ...... |
| — | Employers' £1 (5/- paid) | 3⅜ | 3⅝ | ...... |
| — | Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.) | 20½ | 21½ | +¼ |
| — | Guardian £3 (10/- paid) | 12 | 14½ | ...... |
| — | L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£2) | 32 | 33 | ...... |
| — | Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1½ p.) | 15½ | 16 | ...... |
| — | N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.) | 42¼ | 43¼ | ...... |
| — | Northern £10 (£1 paid) | 18½ | 19½ | ...... |
| — | Pearl (£1) | 19¼ | 20¼ | ...... |
| — | Phoenix £10 (£1 paid) | 15⅜ | 15⅞ | +¼ |
| — | Do. £1 (f.p.) | 16½ | 17 | +¼ |
| — | Prudential | 34½ | 35½ | ...... |
| — | Do. "B" £1 (4/- paid) | 4⅞ | 5⅛ | ...... |
| — | Royal Exchange | 9⅜ | 9⅝ | ...... |
| — | Royal Ins. £1 (10/- pd.) | 8 5/16 | 8 13/16 | +1/16 |
| — | Sun Ins. £1 (5/- paid) | 4½ | 4⅝* | ...... |
| — | Sun Life £1 (f.p.) | 6⅝ | 7⅛ | ...... |
| — | Yorkshire 50/- (10/- pd.) | 8¼ | 8¾ | ...... |

## IRON AND STEEL.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3/7½ | Amal. Anthracite | 3/6 | 4/0 | ...... |
| 45/9 | Babcock, Wilcox Ord. | 44/6 | 45/9 | +0/6 |
| 5/1½ | Baldwins | 4/9 | 5/3 | −0/1½ |
| 4/9 | Brown (John) (6/-) | 4/1½ | 4/7½ | ...... |
| 2/7½ | Cammell Laird (5/-) | 2/4½ | 2/10½ | ...... |
| 77/6 | Cory (William) | 76/3 | 77/3 | ...... |
| 1/9 | Dorman Long and Co. | 1/1½ | 1/7½ | ...... |
| 17/6 | Guest Keen | 17/3 | 18/3 | ...... |
| 4/6 | Pease and Partners | 4/3 | 4/9 | ...... |
| 19/1½ | Powell Duffryn | 18/9 | 19/3 | −0/6 |
| 33/0 | South Durham Steel | 34/3 | 35/3 | ...... |
| 27/7½ | Stewarts & Lloyds Def. | 27/4½ | 27/10½ | −0/3 |
| — | United Steel Cos. | 26/6 | 27/6 | ...... |
| 8/10½ | Vickers Ord | 9/9 | 10/3 | +0/1½ |

## OILS.

| M.U.—Dec. 3. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 13/0 | Anglo-Ecuadorian | 12/8 | 13/6* | −0/1½ |
| 1 13/32 | Anglo-Egyptian "B" | 1 11/32 | 1 15/32 | ...... |
| 2⅛ | Anglo-Persian Ord | 2 | 2⅛ | ...... |
| 36/0½ | Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref | 36/6 | 37/0 | ...... |
| 36/0½ | Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref | 36/9 | 37/3 | ...... |
| 24/0 | Apex Trinidad (5/- shares) | 24/4½ | 24/10½ | −0/3 |
| 10/0 | Attock | 9/0 | 10/0 | ...... |
| 9/3 | British Borneo Pet. (6/0) | 9/6 | 10/0 | ...... |
| 6/7½ | British Burmah (8/) | 4/9 | 5/9 | ...... |
| 3/4½ | British Controlled | 3/0 | 3/6 | ...... |
| 7/4½ | Do. Pref | 7/0 | 7/6 | ...... |
| 3 23/32 | Burmah | 3 17/32 | 3 19/32 | −1/32 |
| 38/3 | Do. 8 p.c. Pref | 38/6 | 39/0 | ...... |
| 5/4½ | Canadian Eagle Ord. | 4/10½ | 5/1½ | ...... |
| 11/10½ | Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref ($3) | 11/3 | 12/3 | ...... |
| 6/6 | Do. 6 p.c. Pref | 5/9 | 6/9 | ...... |
| 2/6 | Kern River (10/) | 2/3 | 2/9 | ...... |
| 1¾ | Lobitos | 1⅜ | 1⅝ | −1/32 |
| 6/4½ | Mexican Eagle Ord | 5/10½ | 6/1½ | ...... |
| 6/6 | Do. 8 p.c. Pref | 5/9 | 6/9 | ...... |
| 7/9 | Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref (4 pesos) | 7/6 | 8/0 | ...... |
| 1/0 | North Caucasian (10/) | 1/0 | 1/6 | ...... |
| 8/4½ | Phoenix Oil | 7/9 | 8/3 | ...... |
| 4/3 | Do. 1/- shares | 3/9 | 4/3 | ...... |
| 18⅜ | Royal Dutch | 18⅜ | 18⅝ | ...... |
| 2¼ | Shell Transport | 2¼ | 2 5/16 | ...... |
| 12¾ | Do. 5 p.c. Pref. £10 | 12⅝ | 13⅛ | ...... |
| 31/0 | Do. 7 p.c. Pref | 32/1½ | 32/7½ | +0/4½ |
| 8/6 | Steaua Romana | 7/10½ | 8/4½ | −0/1½ |
| 3/4½ | Tankers Pref | 3/0 | 3/6 | −0/1½ |
| 7/9 | Trinidad Central | 6/9 | 7/3 | ...... |
| 2 19/32 | Trinidad Leasehold | 2 17/32 | 2 19/32 | −1/32 |
| 1¾ | V.O.C. Holdings | 1¾ | 1 13/16 | −1/32 |
| 1¾ | Do. 7 p.c. Pref | 1¾ | 1 13/16 | ...... |

## TEAS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amal Estates | 13 | ...... | Imperial | 1 9/16 | +1/32 |
| Assam Con | 5/16 | ...... | Jetinga Valley | 1 7/16 | ...... |
| Assam Front'r | 1 1/16 | ...... | Jhanzie | 1¾ | ...... |
| Bog'want'laws | 2½ | ...... | Jokai | 7 1/16 | ...... |
| Borelli | 2 9/16 | ...... | Jorehaut | 2 1/16 | ...... |
| Brahmapootra | 21* | ...... | Kanan Devan | 25 | ...... |
| Brit. Indian | 2⅝ | ...... | Lebong | 2 | ...... |
| Budla Beta | 1¾ | ...... | Lungla | 2 1/32 | ...... |
| Ceylon Plant. | 2 15/16 | ...... | Makum | 1⅛ | ...... |
| Ceylon Prop. | 1 11/16 | ...... | Moabund | 1 11/16 | −1/16 |
| Chargola | 1 3/16 | ...... | Nedeem | 2⅜ | ...... |
| Chubwa | 3 | ...... | New Dimbula | 3⅛ | ...... |
| Chulsa | 2⅝ | ...... | Newara Eliya | 4 | ...... |
| Co. Tea & L. | 23 | ...... | Ouvah | 1 15/16 | ...... |
| Darjeeling Co. | 1½ | ...... | Peacock & Nil. | 2/0 | ...... |
| Do. Consol | 2 1/16 | ...... | Pabbojan | 3⅛ | ...... |
| Deundi | 1 17/32* | ...... | Pundaloya | 2 13/16 | ...... |
| Dimbula Val. | 1¾ | ...... | Rosehaugh Ce. | 1 1/16 | ...... |
| Dooars | 2½ | ...... | Scottish Assam | 1 11/16 | ...... |
| Doom Dooma | 2⅛ | ...... | Scot. T. & Ln. | 1⅞ | ...... |
| E. Assam | 2½ | −1/16 | Singlo | 2⅜ | ...... |
| East Produce | 2 9/16 | ...... | Sumatra | 27/32 | ...... |
| Empire | 1 13/16 | ...... | Travancore | 3 | ...... |
| Galaha Ceylon | 1 9/16 | ...... | Up. Assam | 2⅛ | ...... |

## RUBBERS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 22/4½ | Anglo-Dutch | 22/0 | −0/6 |
| 14/0 | Anglo-Malay | 13/0 | ...... |
| 3/3 | Bukit Mertajam | 3/3 | ...... |
| 11¼ | Bukit Sembawang | 0/10½ | ...... |
| 17/9 | Grand Central | 17/0 | −0/6 |
| 31/10½ | Highlands | 29/9 | −1/3 |
| 12/6 | Jugra Land | 11/7½ | −0/1½ |
| 29/6 | Kuala Lumpur | 29/6* | ...... |
| 19/9 | Linggi | 19/4½ | ...... |
| 4/3 | London Asiatic | 4/0 | −0/1½ |
| 24/3 | Malacca | 25/0 | −0/6 |
| 36/6 | Malayalam | 34/11¼ | −0/6¾ |
| 3/1½ | Merlimau-Pegoh | 3/0 | ...... |
| 30/7½ | Rubber Trust | 29/0 | −0/3 |
| 21/3 | Tandjong | 21/0 | ...... |
| 25/0 | Tandjong Malim | 24/9 | ...... |
| 23/32 | United Sua Betong | 53/6 | −0/3 |
| 10/0 | Vallambrosa | 9/6¾ | −0/2¼ |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allagar | 1/9 | ...... | Kombok | 2/4½ | −0/1½ |
| Batu Tiga | 29/6 | ...... | Kuala Sel | 3/9* | ...... |
| Bernam Per'k | 2/6 | ...... | Ledbury | 23/3 | ...... |
| Brit. I.G. Trst | 77½ | ...... | Manch'r N.B. | 13/1½ | ...... |
| Brit. E. Java | 1/4½ | ...... | N. Hayoep | 0/7½ | ...... |
| Broome Sel(2/) | 3/10½ | −0/1½ | N. Hummock | 11/3 | ...... |
| Buntar | 1/10½* | ...... | P.P.K. (C'y'n) | 13/9 | ...... |
| Chersonese | 2/9 | ...... | Pataling | 34/4½ | ...... |
| Cheviot | 4/0 | ...... | Perak (2/) | 2/9 | ...... |
| Cicely | 4/1½ | ...... | Rambutan | 1/1½ | ...... |
| Djasinga | 17/6 | ...... | Rim Malacca | 2/6 | ...... |
| Erst. Sumatra | 2/6 | ...... | Sedenak | 25/0 | ...... |
| F.M.S. Plant. | 30/0 | ...... | Soember Ajoe | 2/3 | ...... |
| Gen. Ceylon | 25/0 | ...... | Sungei Siput | 2/7½ | ...... |
| Glenbervie | 1/9 | ...... | Taiping | 1/10½ | ...... |
| Golden Hope | 30/0 | ...... | Telogoredjo | 19/1½ | ...... |
| Java Amal | 23/9 | ...... | Un. Serd'ng 2/ | 3/4½ | ...... |
| Kamuning | 136½ | ...... | Yam Seng | 2/9 | ...... |
| Kepitigalla | 1/1½ | ...... | | | |
| Kinta Kellas | 2/1½ | ...... | | | |

## LAND AND INVESTMENT.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 18/3 | Argentine Land Invest. | 17/9 | 18/9 | ...... |
| 16/6 | Do. Southern Land | 14/6 | 15/6 | ...... |
| — | Covent Garden Ord. | 29/6 | 30/6 | ...... |
| 15/0 | Forestal Land | 13/9 | 14/6 | ...... |
| 23/3 | Hudson's Bay Ord. | 22/0 | 23/0 | ...... |
| 1 5/32 | Hyderabad Deccan | 1 5/16 | 1 7/16 | ...... |
| 1/6 | Pekin Syndicate | 1/3 | 1/9 | ...... |
| 30/0 | Sudan Plantations | 30/0 | 31/0 | ...... |

## MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 40/9 | Austin Motor (5/-) | 41/7½ | 42/1½ | +0/4½ |
| 30/0 | Do. "B" Pref. | 30/0 | 31/0 | +0/1½ |
| 2⅝ | De Havilland | 31/9 | 32/9 | −0/3 |
| 25/0 | Dennis Bros. (2/-) | 23/6 | 24/6 | ...... |
| 22/6 | Fairey Aviation | 29/3 | 31/3 | −0/4½ |
| 37/9 | Ford Motors | 35/3 | 35/9 | −0/6 |
| — | Handley Page Pref. (8/-) | 13/0 | 14/0 | −0/3 |
| 28/0 | Hawker (5/-) | 26/6 | 27/6 | −0/3 |
| — | Imperial Airways | 42/6 | 43/6 | ...... |
| 38/6 | Leyland Motors | 38/6 | 39/6 | ...... |
| — | Morris 7½ p.c. Pref. | 30/0 | 31/0 | +0/3 |
| 9/10½ | Napier Ord. (5/-) | 9/6 | 10/0 | ...... |
| 109/0 | Rolls Royce | 107/6 | 108/6 | ...... |
| 14/6 | Singer Ord. | 14/9 | 15/9 | ...... |
| — | Standard | 61/3 | 62/3 | −1/3 |
| 103/0 | Tilling (Thomas) | 102/0 | 103/0 | +0/6 |

## NEWSPAPERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 23/9 | Allied Newspapers Ord. | 23/6 | 24/6 | ...... |
| — | Amal. Press (New) | 18/0 | 19/0 | ...... |
| 26/0 | Assd. Newspaper Def. | 28/3 | 29/3 | ...... |
| 54/9 | Daily Mail Trust | 53/0 | 54/0 | +0/3 |
| 15/10½ | Daily Mirror Ord. | 14/3 | 15/6 | −0/1½ |
| — | Financial Newspapers | 4/0 | 5/0 | −0/3 |
| 10/4½ | Odhams Press (4/-) | 10/0 | 11/0 | ...... |
| 48/0 | Sunday Pictorial Ord. | 47/0 | 48/0* | ...... |

## NITRATES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 61 | Cosach 7 p.c. Ster. Bds | 59 | 61 | ...... |
| 6/9 | Lautaro Nitrate 7 p.c. Pref. (£5) | 6/3 | 7/3 | ...... |

## REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 27/6 | Aerated Bread | 25/6 | 26/6* | ...... |
| 18/0 | Bovril Def. | 17/6 | 18/6 | ...... |
| 9 | Crosse & Blackwell | 0/6 | 0/9 | ...... |
| 9/10½ | Home & Colonial (4/-) | 9/10½ | 10/4½ | ...... |
| 32/9 | Inter. Tea Ord. (5/-) | 33/0 | 33/6 | +0/3 |
| 24/3 | Lovell & Christmas | 23/0 | 24/0 | ...... |
| 7¼ | Lyons (J.) | 7 | 7⅛ | −1/16 |
| 2/10½ | Maypole Def. | 2/7½ | 3/1½ | ...... |
| — | Scribbans | 21/9 | 22/3* | ...... |
| — | Do. Def. | 14/3 | 15/3* | ...... |
| 41/0 | Schweppes Ord. | 1 31/32 | 2 3/32 | ...... |
| — | Smithfield Arg. Meat | 1 3/16 | 1 5/16 | ...... |
| 23/10½ | Unilever Ord. | 22/10½ | 23/4½ | −0/1½ |
| 24/4½ | Do. (N.V.) | 23/10½ | 24/4½ | −0/1½ |

## SHIPPING.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — | Cairn Line | 3/6 | 4/3 | ...... |
| — | Cunard Ord. | 3/9 | 4/3 | −0/3 |
| — | Elder-Dempster 6% Pref. | 1/0 | 3/0 | ...... |
| — | Furness Withy | 16/0 | 17/0 | ...... |
| — | Houlder Pref. (£5), 4-5 | 5½ | 6½ | ...... |
| — | P. and O. Def. (£1) | 16/6 | 17/0 | +1/3 |
| — | Royal Mail Ord. | 0 | 5 | ...... |
| — | White Star 6¼% Pref. | 0/6 | 1/0 | ...... |

## TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6/6 | Bleachers | 5/10½ | 6/4½ | −0/3 |
| 10/3 | Bradford Dyers | 9/0 | 9/9 | ...... |
| 10/6 | British Celanese Ord. | 11/3 | 11/9 | +0/4½ |
| 14/0 | Do. Pref. | 14/1½ | 14/7½ | ...... |
| 10/3 | Calico Printers | 0/0 | 9/9 | ...... |
| 3 13/16 | Canadian Celanese | 3⅞ | 4 | ...... |
| 67/3 | Coats | 65/6 | 66/9 | −0/4½ |
| 46/9 | Courtaulds | 45/3 | 45/9 | ...... |
| 43/9 | English Sewing Cotton | 43/9 | 44/9 | ...... |
| 8/0 | Fine Spinners | 7/3 | 8/0 | +0/3 |
| 5/1½ | Jute Industries Pref. | 5/2 | 5/6 | +0/4½ |
| — | Linen Thread Ord. | 26/6 | 27/6 | −0/1½ |
| 8/0 | Lister Ord. | 7/9 | 8/3 | −0/9 |
| 57/9 | Patons and Baldwins | 54/6 | 55/6 | ...... |
| 3 15/16 | Snia Viscosa | 3 11/16 | 3 13/16 | −1/32 |
| — | Whitworth Mitchell | 1 15/32 | 1 17/32 | ...... |

## TOBACCOS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 11/32 | British-American Tobacco | 6 3/16 | 6¼ | −3/32 |
| 7 7/16 | Carreras "A" | 7½ | 7⅝ | +1/16 |
| 19/0 | Do. "B" (2/6) | 18/9 | 9/3 | ...... |
| — | Cope Bros. | 2⅜ | 2½* | ...... |
| — | Gallaher | 4 25/32 | 4 29/32 | −1/32 |
| 37/6 | Godfrey Phillips | 38/3 | 39/3 | ...... |
| 138/0 | Imperial Tobacco Ord. | 138/4½ | 138/7½ | −0/9 |
| 49/9 | Do Canada | 49/9 | 50/9 | ...... |
| — | Tobacco Trust Ord. | 4¾ | 4⅞* | ...... |
| — | Do. Def. | 5 11/16 | 5 13/16* | ...... |
| 6 1/16 | United Tobacco (Sth.) | 6 | 6⅛ | ...... |

## TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30½ | Anglo-American Def. | 31 | 32 | −¼ |
| 80½ | Cables & Wire, 5½% Pref. | 82¼ | 82¾ | +½ |
| 17¼ | Do. 7½% "A" Ord. | 18¼ | 18¾ | ...... |
| 7 | Do. "B" Ord. | 6¾ | 7¼ | ...... |
| 33/6 | Marconi Marine | 33/3 | 34/3 | ...... |
| 8/6 | Do. Canada | 8/0 | 8/6 | ...... |
| — | Oriental Telephone | 3 5/16 | 3 5/16 | ...... |
| 6 | Radio Corporation | 5 5/16 | 5 7/16 | −1/16 |

## MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30/0 | Associated Cement | 39/3 | 39/9 | ...... |
| 6/1½ | Assocd. British Pictures | 5/3 | 5/7½ | ...... |
| — | Beecham's Pills Ptg. Pf | 33/6 | 34/6 | ...... |
| 21/6 | Do. Def. (5/-) | 22/3 | 23/3 | −0/1½ |
| 47/0 | Boot's Pure Drug (5/-) | 45/9 | 46/3 | ...... |
| 11/4½ | Borax Con. Def. | 11/0 | 12/0 | ...... |
| 10 13/16 | Brazilian Traction | 9⅞ | 10 | −3/16 |
| 29/6 | British Aluminium | 28/0 | 29/0 | ...... |
| 38/1½ | British Match | 37/3 | 38/3 | −0/3 |
| 3 11/16 | British Portland Cement | 3 11/16 | 3 13/16 | ...... |
| — | British Power and Light | 21/0 | 23/0 | ...... |
| 43/4½ | British Oil and Cake | 42/3 | 43/3 | ...... |
| 82/9 | British Oxygen Ord. | 82/6 | 83/0 | −0/9 |
| — | Cerebos Ord. | 9 9/16 | 9 13/16 | ...... |
| — | Crittal's Manufacturing | 7/6 | 8/6 | ...... |
| 49/0 | Dunlop Rubber | 48/3 | 48/9 | −0/3 |
| 52/1 | Eastwoods Ord. | 2 7/16 | 2 9/16 | ...... |
| 30/0 | Electric and Musical | 28/3 | 28/6 | −0/4½ |
| 24/3 | Do. 6 p.c. Pref. | 24/3 | 24/9 | ...... |
| — | Finlay (James) | 67/6 | 68/6 | ...... |
| 10/9 | Gaumont British | 9/6 | 10/0 | −0/7½ |
| — | Do. "A" Ord. | 4/1½ | 4/4½ | ...... |
| 17/6 | Do. 5½ p.c. Pref. | 15/10½ | 16/4½ | −0/4½ |
| — | Harland Wolff Pref. | 4/4½ | 4/10½ | ...... |
| 37/4½ | Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord. | 36/3 | 36/9 | +0/1½ |
| 9/4½ | Do. Def. | 9/0 | 9/3 | −0/1½ |
| 34/0 | Do. Pref. | 33/9 | 34/9 | +0/1½ |
| 23¼† | International Nickels | 22¾ | 22⅞ | −3/16 |
| — | Do. Paint | 45/0 | 46/3 | ...... |
| 87/0 | London Brick and F. | 82/0 | 83/0 | −0/3 |
| 23/9 | National Canning | 23/0 | 24/0 | ...... |
| — | North American Co. | 12 | 13* | ...... |
| — | Reckitt Ord. | 5¾ | 5⅞* | ...... |
| — | Ste. Madeleine Sugar | 12/0 | 13/0 | ...... |
| 39/9 | Suit Union | 38/3 | 39/3 | ...... |
| 62/9 | Spillers Ord. | 61/3 | 62/3 | ...... |
| 48/0 | Do. Def. | 47/9 | 48/9 | −0/3 |
| 10/9 | Swedish Match B | 13/0 | 13/6 | +0/6 |
| 99/3 | Tate and Lyle | 99/3 | 100/0 | +0/4½ |
| 72/0 | Triplex Glass | 70/6 | 71/6 | +0/6 |
| 19/0 | United Molasses | 18/3 | 18/9 | −0/3 |
| 2 13/16 | Wall Paper Def. | 2 27/32 | 2 29/32 | ...... |
| 41/6 | White Tomkins Ord. | 2 | 2⅛ | ...... |
| 34/0 | Wiggins Teape Ord. | 34/0 | 35/0 | ...... |

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# THE MONEY MARKET

## TREASURY BILLS EASIER

Tenders were received at the Bank of England yesterday for £35,000,000 Treasury bills. Applications for bills dated Monday next at £99 17s. 6d. and above receive in full, and tenders dated Tuesday to Saturday at £99 17s. 7d. and above also receive in full. These figures indicate an average rate of about 11/32 per cent, compared with 7/16 per cent. for last week's bills.

Bank Rate Discount (changed June 30, 1932), 2%

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 60 days (fine) | ½ | ⅝ % | Trade | 2 | 2½ % |
| 3 months | ½ | ⅝ % | " | 2¼ | 2½ % |
| 4 " | 9/16 | 11/16 % | " | 2½ | 3 % |
| 6 " | 9/16 | 11/16 % | | ½ | ¼ % |
| Loans to Brokers Day-to-day | | | | | ½ % |
| for a week | | | | | ½ % |
| Deposit Allowance; Banks at Call | | | | | ½ % |
| " Discount Houses at Call | | | | | ½ % |
| " " at Notice | | | | | ¾ % |

Credit supplies continued plentiful yesterday and borrowers were able to obtain all the accommodation they required at ½ per cent. In the discount market fine three months' bank bills were quoted at 9/16 per cent., and the Treasuries were more or less nominal.

The price of gold was fixed ½d. higher at 140s. 9d. per oz. fine, there being a premium of 7d. over the franc at 75 and of 1½d. over the dollar at 4.94½. About £162,000 was disposed of in the market.

Silver remained unchanged at 24 1/16d. per oz. for spot and 24 1/16d for forward delivery.

The London foreign exchange market experienced another quiet day yesterday. During the earlier part of the day, apart from a small commercial demand for dollars, business was almost at a standstill, but special operations from New York brightened things up considerably towards the close. Sterling continued weak in tone, and the continued trend of rates against London in the early dealings was only to be expected in the absence of official operations. The London control did not intervene at any time, but the American authorities are believed to have been largely responsible for the reaction in the gold currencies and the consequent recovery in the pound sterling that took place a little before the close of business.

| Centre | Dec. 14 Closing Rates | | Dec. 13 Closing Rates | | Parity before 20/9/'31 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 4.94⅝ | 4.94⅞ | 4.94 | 4.94¼ | 4.86¾ |
| Montreal | 4.89¾ | 4.89¼ | 4.89¾ | 4.90¼ | 4.86¾ |
| Amsterdam | 7.31 | 7.32 | 7.30½ | 7.31 | 12.10 |
| Berlin | 12.30 | 12.33 | 12.30 | 12.31 | 20.43 |
| Brussels | 21.16 | 21.18 | 21.14 | 21.16 | 35.00 |
| Copenhagen | 22.38 | 22.42 | 22.38 | 22.42 | 18.15 |
| Geneva | 15.26½ | 15.29½ | 15.26 | 15.28 | 25.22 |
| Madrid | 36 3/16 | 36¼ | 36⅛ | 36 3/16 | 25.22 |
| Milan | 57⅞ | 57 15/16 | 57⅞ | 57 15/16 | 92.46 |
| Oslo | 19.88 | 19.93 | 19.88 | 19.93 | 18.15 |
| Paris | 75 | 75 1/16 | 74 15/16 | 75 | 124.21 |
| Stockholm | 19.37 | 19.42 | 19.37 | 19.42 | 18.15 |
| Alexandria | 97⅜ | 97⅝ | 97⅜ | 97⅝ | 97.5 |
| Athens | 517 | sellers | 520 | sellers | 375 |
| Helsingfors | 226 | 227 | 226 | 227 | 193.2 |
| Lisbon | 109¾ | 110½ | 109¾ | 110½ | 110 |
| Prague | 118⅛ | 113½ | 118⅛ | 118⅜ | 164.25 |
| Vienna | 25¾ | 27¾ | 25¾ | 27¾ | 34.58 |
| Warsaw | 26⅛ | 26⅜ | 26⅛ | 26¼ | 43.38 |
| B. Ayres | 27⅜ | 27½ | 27¼ | 27½ | 47.577 |
| Lima 90 dys | 21.25 nom | | 21.25 nom | | 17.38 |
| Mexico* | 17.50 | 18.50 | 17.50 | 18.50 | 9.76 |
| M'video* | 20 | 21 | 20 | 21 | 51 1/16 |
| Rio de Jan. | 3 5/32 | 3 7/32 | 3 3/16 | 3 7/32 | 5.89 |
| Valparaiso | nom | | nom | | 408 |
| Calcutta | 18 1/32 | 18 3/32 | 18 1/16 | 18 3/32 | 18 |
| Hongkong | 20½ | 21 | 20⅝ | 21 | |
| Kobe (p.yn) | 14 | 14 1/32 | 14 | 14 1/32 | 24d. |
| Shanghai* | 16½ | 17¼ | 16½ | 17¼ | — |
| Singapore* | 28 1/16 | 28¼ | 28 1/16 | 28¼ | 2 |

* Rate quoted in London.

# REPLY TO LORD HEWART

## LORD SANKEY'S CASE

## COMPROMISE ON DISPUTED CLAUSE

IN the House of Lords, yesterday, the Marquess of Reading (a former Lord Chief Justice) resumed the debate on the second reading of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Amendment) Bill. The House was crowded, Peers, Privy Councillors and members of the House of Commons desiring to hear the reply of the Lord Chancellor (Lord Sankey) to the remarkable speech made by Lord Hewart (Lord Chief Justice) on Tuesday last.

Lord Reading said that he refused to believe that the proposed change in the composition of the Court of Appeal was aimed at Lord Justice Slesser because of his political views. He suggested, however, that, if the clause to which exception had been taken were retained, there should be inserted a proviso to the effect that the provision relating to the appointment of a Vice-President of the Court of Appeal should not apply to any present member of that Court.

Why not drop it, asked a noble Lord.

Lord Ponsonby blamed the Government for introducing a bill, so ill-prepared that it gave rise to "a speech such as has never been delivered in this House on a bill of this sort in the whole of its history." He moved that the debate be adjourned again, but said that there would be conditions on which he would withdraw the motion and not divide upon it. If the bill needs expedition he suggested that in its present form it should be withdrawn, and that an agreed measure should be drafted in its stead which could be passed without delay. He disagreed with Lord Reading's view that the political motive for the proposed change, which might affect Lord Justice Slesser, was inconceivable. It was not at all inconceivable.

Lord Hanworth repeated his statement of Tuesday last, that he had nothing whatever to do with the genesis of the clause to which objection had been taken. But the proposed change having come to his knowledge, as an act of friendliness, he told Lord Slesser that it might affect his future.

### LORD HAILSHAM

Lord Hailsham devoted the greater part of his speech to a defence of Sir Claud Schurter (Head of the Lord Chancellor's Department). He referred to Lord Hewart's charge, that the permanent officials of the Lord Chancellor's Department sought to substitute for the Lord Chancellor a Minister of Justice in order that they might be able to say who should be appointed to judicial offices. He assured the House that no such scheme was ever hatched.

The Lord Chancellor said that the Lord Chief Justice's speech took him entirely by surprise, and amazed him. He really thought he was helping Lord Hewart in bringing this matter forward. He consulted him, and would produce the documents that passed between them. Regarding the creation of a Vice-President of the Court of Appeal, Lord Hewart's insinuations clearly were an attack on Sir Claud Schuster. The Lord Chancellor read the correspondence, and claimed that it refuted Lord Hewart's charges. Lord Hewart's memory seemed to have failed him in some important particular.

The Lord Chancellor denied that he had been guilty of discourtesy to the Lord Chief Justice, and he quoted dates and circumstances in support of his submission. Acknowledging Lord Reading's "tactful speech," he said that he proposed to follow his advice and put a proviso into the clause, as Lord Reading had suggested.

Lord Hewart thanked the several speakers for their kindly expressions. Further discussion, he said, would tend to hinder rather than help the good which they all of them had in view. The Lord Chancellor had gone a long way towards peace in assenting to Lord Reading's suggestion.

Lord Ponsonby then withdrew his motion.

# AUCTION SALES

## THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS AND CO.

This firm will hold their last property sale for the year 1934 on Thursday, 20th December, at their property salerooms, South Great George's street. They will offer two attractive investments and one residential property on that date—37 Upper Mount street, let to weekly and monthly tenants to produce a gross income of £324 2/- per annum, which, deducting head rent and taxes, leaves a net profit rent of £115 per annum; a profit rent of £124 per annum, arising out of property in Ballybrack; 2 Ulster terrace, a compact two-storey dwelling house over basement.

**Galway University.**—The following, of University College, Galway, were elected by the Academic Council yesterday as members of the Governing Body for the next triennial period:—Professors Mitchell, Power, Risheworth and Walsh.

**Sugar Beet Pulp Shipment.**—A cargo of five hundred tons of sugar beet pulp from Thurles factory was shipped yesterday from Limerick for the North of England. It was the first shipment of the kind from this port, and the product was conveyed from Thurles to Limerick by train.

# FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

*Birkenhead—Cattle firmer trade and steady for Lambs. Dublin—Butter unchanged, Eggs more plentiful, Poultry cheap, prices for Fish satisfactory, slow sales for Vegetables, Grain quiet, best classes in demand. Rubber quiet. Tin slow. Copper firmer. Wheat easier.*

### CATTLE.

**DONNELLY, DUBLIN, LTD.**

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Pigs will be accepted every day until noon, Wednesday, December 19th, but none after. No cut on fat pigs or pigs of Ulster breed.

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**BIRKENHEAD.**—On offer, 1,850 Irish cattle, 467 Canadian cattle, and 960 lambs. For smaller supply cattle a firmer trade was experienced, but generally values were unaltered. Choice small bullocks and heifers made up to 6½d., best heavy cattle 6d. to 6¼d., strong and secondary classes 5½d., cows 3d. to 4d., bulls 4¼d. to 5d. Some exceptional quality cattle suitable for the Christmas trade made up to 7d., according to weight. Canadian cattle 6d. to 6¼d. Lambs were a steady trade throughout the week at 10d. for the best qualities, all prices per lb., sinking offal.

Send your Pigs to **COSGRAVE, RANELAGH.** Highest Current Prices Paid.—(Advt.)

### GRAIN.

**DUBLIN.**—Trade continues rather quiet, with fair supplies offering around previous values. White oats 14/6 to 15/9 per barrel delivered, and blacks 13/9 to 14/9.

**FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).**—WHEAT—The continued lack of interest by millers imparted a dull tone to the floating and forward cargo section, and, despite better overnight cables, most descriptions obtainable on easier terms. Sellers were disposed to meet the market, and Canadian grades offered at 6d. per quarter decline, and River Plate 1½d. to 3d., while Australian were generally 3d. to 6d. down; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment late December sellers 31/6, West Australian afloat 24/3, shipping/shipped 25/-, new crop January 25/3, South ditto afloat 23/9. Parcels firm and Manitoba and River Plate kinds occasionally 1½d. to 3d. per quarter dearer; Australian unchanged but trading subdued, No. 4 Manitoba Vancouver afloat 26/10½, December 26/10½. No. 5 ditto 26/1½. MAIZE cargoes held for 3d. per quarter advance, following higher Argentine options, but European demand quiet; River Plate afloat sellers 22/9, January 23/-. Parcels firm at 1½d. per quarter increase, with sellers more reserved; River Plate afloat sellers 20/10½ per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f. BARLEY inactive, and Canadian sorts 1½d. per quarter lower, and River Plate 3d.; but Persian disclosed no alteration. Parcels of No. 3 Canadian Western Vancouver December sellers 24/-. OATS dull, and Canadian qualities 1½d. to 4½d. per quarter easier, but River Plate unaltered. Parcels of No. 2 Canadian Western Vancouver December sellers 20/10½.

**MARK LANE CORN.**—There was a fair attendance of buyers at the week-end market, but business proceeded on quiet lines, and prices tended easier following the recent downward movement of c.i.f. values. WHEAT easier for Canadian. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver ex ship 33/9, No. 2 ditto Vancouver 31/3, Australian 25/6 to 25/9. English quoted 21/- to 22/6 per qr. of 504lb. ex farm. FLOUR quiet. London straight run 24/6 per sack for country deliveries and 23/6 London area; country straights 16/6 to 17/6 ex store. MAIZE again easier. Plate landed 22/6, ex ship 21/6. Yellow maize meal £6 2/6 to £6 5/- ex wharf London, cooked flaked maize £6 12/6 to £6 17/6 ex mill, and yellow African ex ship £5 2/6 per ton. BARLEY quietly steady. No. 3 Canadian Western Vancouver ex ship 25/6, landed 26/3. English malting 30/- to 50/- and feed 28/- to 29/- per qr. of 448lb. ex farm. OATS inactive. No. 2 Canadian Western Vancouver landed 22/6 and mixed Canadian feed Atlantic landed 18/3 per 320lb. English quoted 20/- to 21/- per qr. of 336lb. ex farm. MILLERS' WHEATFEED maintained. Broad digestive bran 6/7½, ordinary 6/1½, weatings 6/3 to 6/6, and ground oats 8/9 ex mill per cwt.

**LIVERPOOL.**—Argentine market finished better than expected, and forward deliveries of wheat here improved to a moderate extent at the outset, then receded somewhat on more favourable Argentine crop news, again improved, though gave way slightly below Thursday night on weaker afternoon Argentine cables, good buying, however, later on causing a fair advance to be registered at the finish; c.i.f. parcels neglected and nominally unchanged to 3d. per quarter lower. No. 1 Manitoba, December, quoted 31/6; Rosario Santa Fe, 64lb., afloat, 21/- per quarter; c.i.f. parcels of River Plate maize, after being dearer, finished lower. Arrived sold at 19/9, December 21/-, January 22/1½ per quarter. WHEAT on the spot quietly steady. MAIZE—Spot parcels dull and easier at 4/7½ to 4/8 per cental for River Plate. FLOUR quiet at late rates. Graded wheat futures opened ¼d. to ½d. per cental dearer, receded ½d., but again recovered to best, gave way slightly below Thursday night, though closing steady, ¼d. to ½d. higher on the day. Values—December 4/9¾, March 5/1½, May 5/3¾, July 5/4¼ per cental. Sales, 280 loads.

### PROVISIONS.

**LONDON.**—BUTTER—With heavy arrivals from Australia and New Zealand, and buyers operating cautiously, there is barely sufficient demand to keep the market clear, and prices in consequence marked a downward tendency. Quotations: New Zealand finest salted 69/- to 70/-, fine 68/- to 69/-, finest unsalted 72/- to 74/-, Australian finest salted 68/- to 69/-, first grade 67/- to 68/-, second 67/-, pastry 65/-, finest unsalted 70/- to 71/-, first grade 68/-, second 67/- to 68/-, pastry 57/- to 68/-, Argentine unsalted 66/- to 72/-, Danish 126/-, English 1/2½ per lb. CHEESE—Demand continued slow, and with fairly heavy arrivals from New Zealand pressure to sell resulted in easier prices. Quotations: English farmers' ranges from 69/- to 90/-, ditto loaf 82/- to 88/-, factory 42/- to 45/- per cwt. Cheshire national mark 9¼d. to 10¼d., ungraded 8d. to 9d., Stilton 1/- to 1/5 per lb. Italian Gorgonzola 8½d. to 9d. per lb. BACON—Market remained steady, with a fair demand. No change occurred in official quotations. English 87/- to 90/-, Irish 82/- to 89/-, Danish 82/- to 86/-, Dutch 80/- to 84/-, Swedish 83/- to 84/-, Canadian 72/- to 78/-, Polish 76/- to 80/- per cwt. HAMS in moderate request at steady rates. American short cut 86/- to 94/-, Canadian ditto 86/- to 90/-, Argentine 82/- per cwt. LARD steady, but trade quiet. American boxes 51/- to 54/6, pails 59/-, cartons 1lb. 57/6, ditto ½lb. 59/6. Irish bladders 52/- to 59/-, Dutch refined boxes 50/- per cwt. EGGS (Boro')—Market quiet, and prices easy, with ample supplies on offer. Quotations: English national marked unofficial specials 22/- to 22/6, standards 20/- to 20/6, mediums 17/6 to 18/-, pullets 16/6 to 17/-, ordinary packing 15lb.-15½lb. 18/6 to 19/6, Northern Ireland 17lb. 20/-, 15½lb. 18/-, 14lb. 16/6 to 17/-. Cold stored—Irish Free State selected 10/3 to 10/6, all per 120.

**LIVERPOOL.**—BACON—In the weekly revision of prices in Manchester Danish was raised 2/- to 4/-; Swedish, Dutch, and Polish 2/- per cwt.; Danish leanest 86/- to 90/-, lean 84/- to 88/-, prime 82/- to 86/-; Swedish lean 80/- to 84/-, prime 78/- to 82/-; Dutch lean 80/- to 84/-, prime 78/- to 82/-; Polish lean 78/- to 82/-, prime 77/- to 81/- per cwt.; Irish 2/- to 3/- dearer, 80/- to 88/-; Canadian 2/- dearer for Wiltshires, at 76/- for lean, and 75/- prime; but Cumberlands of latter 2/- lower now offered at 65/- to 67/- per cwt. HAMS steady, but in only moderate demand at late rates. Shoulders scarce and nominal. LARD on the spot quiet and partially 6d. lower. American refined now quoted 49/6 to 51/6 per cwt. CHEESE slow of sale at late rates. BUTTER steady and 1/- dearer for Danish and Swedish at 127/-, 131/-, and 108/- and 112/- per cwt. respectively. EGGS quiet and unaltered.

**DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.**—Cabbage too plentiful, lower prices being accepted to clear. Cauliflowers in heavy supply, with a clearance difficult to effect. Other classes just steady, except celery, which failed to clear. York, 12/- to 24/- large load; small, 3/6 to 10/-.; Savoy, large, 3/- to 6/6; small, 3/- to 5/-, extra 7/6; swedes, feeding, 10d. to 1/-; table, 1/4 to 1/7; mangolds, 9d. to 10d. cwt.; cauliflowers, 9d. to 1/3; seconds, 2d. to 4d. doz.; lettuce, 3d. to 10d.; leeks, 1/6 to 2/-; carrots, 9d. to 1/6; bags, 1/6 to 2/6; parsnips, 1/- to 1/6; bags, 1/6 to 2/6; celery, 1/6 to 4/- bunch, 2/9 to 3/6 box; turnips, 2d. to 6d.; thyme and sage, 1d. to 2d.; parsley, 4d to 6d. tray, 1/- to 2/- bag, sprouts, 1/- to 1/2 chip, 1/- to 2/- box; artichokes, 1/- chip; spinach, 2/6 bag; red cabbage, 2/6 doz.; and apples, 10/- to 22/- barrel. Imported arrivals in better demand at previous values, except pineapples, which closed dearer at 3/- to 6/6 each; tomatoes, Canary, 7/- to 7/6 boat, 16/- to 18/- bundle; English, 9/- box; apples, Virginian, 30/- to 40/- barrel; Scotian, 25/- to 35/-; Newtowns, 16/- to 17/6 box; Mackintosh and Jonathans, 14/- to 17/-; oranges, South African, 16/- to 20/- case; Brazilian, 17/- to 20/-; Jaffa, 11/- to 14/-; Valencia, 10/- to 18/- half case; mandarines, 1/- to 1/9 box; lemons, 18/- to 25/- case, 10/- to 14/- box; pears, Californian, 17/- to 20/- box; Comice, 30/-; Anjou, 26/-; grapes, Belgian, 1/3 to 1/6 lb.; Dutch, 6/- tray; Almeria, 10/- to 25/- barrel; grapefruit, 12/- to 16/- case; bananas, 7/6 to 9/6 box; cranberries, 15/-; Tunis dates, 9/- to 9/6 doz.; figs, 8/- to 9/- bag; onions, Spanish, 9/- to 11/- case; Dutch, 7/- bag; and Italian chestnuts, 5/- stone.

**FOR WEST INDIAN BANANAS.**
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**DUBLIN POULTRY.**—The Christmas dead poultry sales opened with very heavy supplies, which gave only a small proportion of choice quality to draw upon. The attendance of buyers was somewhat disappointing, and only real choice arrivals fetched anything like satisfactory prices. Soft or inferior lots brought sales into a very late hour, when sellers were obliged to accept any reasonable offer to clear. Best turkeys 7d. to 8d., others 5d. to 6d. per lb.; chickens (best) 8d. to 9d., fat hens 1/6 to 2/- each, others 1/- to 1/6; fatted ducks 2/- to 3/-, others 1/- to 1/6; fatted geese 5d. to 6d. per lb.; stubble 2/- to 3/- each; rabbits 6d. to 7d., and pheasants 2/6 to 3/-.

**MANCHESTER BUTTER.**—Continental makes firm at advanced prices. Colonial quietly steady. Choicest qualities quoted:—Danish 128/- to 131/-, special dairies extra; Swedish 111/- to 114/-, Finnish 110/- to 113/-, Dutch 105/- to 107/-, Latvian 98/ to 100/-, New Zealand 71/- to 75/-, Australian 71/- to 75/-. BACON—Firmer tone for all cures. Irish unchanged, but English officially advanced 2/- to 3/-, Danish 2/- to 4/-, and Swedish, Dutch and Polish 2/-. Irish 78/- to 85/-, English 80/- to 90/-, Danish 82/- to 92/-, Swedish 78/- to 86/-, Dutch 78/- to 86/-, Polish 76/- to 84/-. LARD quiet and rather lower. English refined 57/6 boxes ex works, American 51/- to 52/6, according to brand. CHEESE—Little change to report in Cheshire, buyers having covered requirements for Christmas. Colonial quiet. New Zealand white 45/- to 47/-, coloured 44/6 to 46/6. Canadian 53/- to 56/-. EGGS quiet. Spot supplies of Irish Free State restricted and prices nominal. English easier, selected 17/6, Danish 13lb. 10/9, Australian 11/3 to 13/6, Uruguayan 10/6 to 13/9, Chinese 8/9 to 9/6.

**DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.**—Creamery in good supply, with trade fair at previous values. Factory butter neglected and easier. Farmers' parcels very scarce and nominal. Choice creams 140/-, fair quality around 138/ per cwt., and factory 1/- to 1/0½ per lb. Egg market weaker on more plentiful supplies, only fresh, reliable hens and ducks being inquired for. Cold stores a disappointing sale. Extra heavy grades 19/- to 18/6 case lots, ordinary and ungraded 16/9 to 17/3, medium 14/9 to 15/6, smalls, etc., 12/6 to 13/6; cold store 10/- to 11/6, and ducks 13/- to 14/6 per 120.

**MANCHESTER MEAT.**—Home-killed Beef—Choice small weight sides 6¼d., others around 6d., strong bullocks around 5½d., best lambs up to 10d., others 9d. to 9½d., ewes 5¼d. to 6d., calves 6d. to 8d., pigs 7¼d. to 9½d. Chilled Beef—Hindquarters 5d. to 6d., forequarters 2½d. to 3¼d., frozen hindquarters 3¼d. to 3½d., crops 2½d., mutton wethers 4¼d. to 4½d., ewes 3½d. to 3¾d., lambs, old seasons, 5½d. to 6½d., new 5½d. to 6½d.

**MANCHESTER GAME AND POULTRY.**—Demand generally can hardly be described as active, but quotations remain fairly steady. Turkeys arriving in good condition. Pheasants 6/-, young grouse 5/-, old 2/-, young partridge 4/-, old 2/6 per brace; Irish turkeys 10d. to 1/-, Continental 7½d. to 8½d., Irish and English chickens 11d., fowls 5d. to 6d., ducklings 9d. to 10d., geese 6½ to 7d. per lb., best trapped rabbits 1/10 per couple, brown hares 2/9 each.

**DUBLIN POTATO.**—Market heavily supplied, with demand only fair around 4/- to 4/6 per cwt., best table lots.

**DUBLIN FISH.**—Fair supplies included 10 chests lobsters, 80 boxes herrings, and a fair amount from country and local senders. Demand equal to an early clearance at—Lobsters 15/- to 17/6 per 13 large, medium 10/- to 12/6, small 6/- to 8/-; soles 25/- to 35/- per 9 pairs large, medium 15/- to 20/-, slips 5/- to 10/-; turbot 1/- to 6/- each, brill 6d. to 2/6, herrings 7/- to 14/- per box, plaice 30/- to 60/- per half-box, cod 25/- to 35/-, ray 12/6 to 25/-, and whiting 4/- to 5/-.

**BILLINGSGATE FISH.**—Soles 14d. to 18d., slips 13d. to 16d., red mullet 15d., lobsters 18d. to 30d. per lb., live eels 14/- to 27/-, dead 12/- to 22/-, draught turbot 10/- to 16/-, plaice 8/- to 14/6, halibut 12/- to 17/-, lemon soles 14/- to 22/6, whiting 3/6 to 6/-, hake 12/- to 14/-, haddocks 4/- to 8/-, skate wings 5/6 to 8/- per stone.

### PRODUCE.

**LONDON.**—SUGAR—Market quiet, unaltered for all British makes. Foreign 96 per cent. raws December to the U.K. quoted 4/3 c.i.f. Terminal slow. May sold 4/6, August 4/8, December 4/10¾ to 4/10½ per cwt. COCOA dull both spot and forward. Accra G/F January-March 21/3 per 50 kilos c.i.f., "A" clause to London 22/6 per cwt. ex wharf. No sales recorded in terminal during morning. RUBBER quiet, steady. Sheet spot and December sold 6¼d., January-March 6 5/16d., April-June 6½d. to 6 7/16d., July-September 6⅝d., October-December 6 13/16d. to 6¾d. per lb. London stocks on Monday next expected to increase 1,000 tons and Liverpool by 1,600. TEA—Private market generally steady, but the chief feature was the strength of demand from common Indian and Ceylon in the region of 11d. per lb. JUTE—A moderate business was effected, considering sellers were more difficult to deal with, and higher prices asked. Firsts December-January sellers £16 15/-, buyers £16 12/6; January-February sold £16 15/- to £16 16/3, February-March £17, March-April buyers £17 5/-, sellers £17 7/6, Lightnings December-January sold £14 15/-, Hearts sellers £13 5/-, Daisee £14 2/6. Tossa £15 2/6 per ton c.i.f. Hessians and twills quiet, but steady. SHELLAC easier; moderate forward business. T.N. spot 85/- to 90/-, December sold 85/6, March 88/- to 88/6, December-January c.i.f. sellers 86/6 per cwt.

OILCAKES.—Linseed Cakes—The amount of business passing is comparatively small, as is usual at this season of the year, but there are no signs of any weakening in values, which are fully maintained, and with continued limited supplies of Continental and foreign descriptions quotations are likely to improve on any resumption of buying on the part of country merchants, who are working on greatly depleted stocks, and whose commitments in most cases will be shortly coming to an end. London made sell steadily at £8 12/6 to £8 17/6, while best brands of 10 per cent. Brazilians make £8 10/- to £8 12/6 and Grecians £8 5/- to £8 7/6. Cotton Cakes—With no pressure to sell on the part of Egyptian shippers, prices are without change, in spite of only a poor country demand, the nearest value being £4 6/3 to £4 7/6 ex ship terms, duty paid, and £4 11/3 to £4 12/6 in store. English makes meet a dull sale at £4 12/6 to £4 15/-. OFFALS—English weatings have sold rather more freely at last week's full prices of £6 2/6 to £6 5/-, with bran unaltered at £6 5/- for ordinary and £6 10/- for broad. Fine white Italian and fancy Plate middlings meet an improved inquiry at £5 17/6 to £6, while Plate bran offered at £5 17/6 and Plate pollards at £5 15/-, landed terms. MAIZE FOODS—Garton's maize gluten feed moves off readily at £5 15/- to £6, while flake maize is the turn dearer at £6 12/6 to £6 15/-, and English maize meal at £6. Yellow South African maize meal is cheaply quoted at £5 10/-, maize germ meal at £5 15/-, and Hominy chop at £5 5/- per ton ex store.

OILS—Linseed firmer. Spot sellers 20/- (small quantities 1/6 per cwt. extra), December 18/6, January-April 19/3, May-August 20/-, after 19/10½ paid; September-December sellers 20/3. Rape steady. Crude spot 28/-, refined 29/6, Japanese crude drums January-February 23/10½, refined 24/10½. Cotton steady. Crude Egyptian spot 20/-, common edible 23/6, deodorised 25/-. Cocoanut quiet. Groundnut quiet. Turpentine steady. American spot 45/-. OILSEEDS—Linseed—Market quiet, but sellers were more reserved, and tone fully steady. Argentine initial options were maintained. Plate to Hull December sellers £9 11/3, new crop January-February, February-March also March-April £9 8/9. Calcutta to London December-January also January-February £11 12/6. February-March £11 13/9, new April-May £11 10/-. Bombay to London December-January also January-February £12, new April-May £11 17/6. Rapeseed steady. Groundnuts fully steady. Soya Beans quiet. Castorseed steady.

**LIVERPOOL.**—CANE SUGAR quiet, with sellers basis 96 deg. pol. parcels raws December-January shipments at 4/4½ per cwt. c.i.f. to U.K. ports. Refined descriptions remain steady and unaltered. Messrs. Tate and Lyle's quotations:—Crystals, ones 20/-; granulated, standard 17/7½; yellows, thirds 16/4½—ex refinery Liverpool, less 1¼ per cent. discount. COCOA—Spot West African without quotable change, but the demand rather slow. Forward shipments steady for new crop parcels good fermented Accra, and sellers at 21/3 December-February and January-March, and buyers 3d. less; sellers Lagos f.a.q. December-February January-March 20/6, buyers 20/3—all over 50 kilos c.i.f. Continent. Sales: A clause January-March shipments 21/6 per cwt. ex quay terms Liverpool. JAPANESE PEAS on spot remain at £15 to £15 10/-, and for new crop November-December and December-January shipments £12 2/6 to £12 5/- per ton quoted. OIL CAKES—For imported descriptions forward shipments a moderate inquiry continues, and linseed brands held for £7 10/- American and £7 15/- River Plate, both c.i.f. terms December-January shipments, and Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed for the same shipments remain at £4 5/- ex ship terms. PALM KERNELS steady and unchanged, with sellers at £7 11/3 December-January and January-February shipments, and buyers 2/6 per ton less. TALLOW very steady, but idle; South American No. 1 frigorific quoted 22/- to 22/6 c.i.f., and Australian good colour mixed 22/3 to 22/6 per cwt. c.i.f., both for forward shipment positions.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

**DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.**—Larger hay supplies gave fairly useful quality to draw upon. Buyers in fair attendance and business-like mood for all choice arrivals, which went out early around previous values. Old meadow classes met a cautious trade, but a fair clearance was effected, without any material change in values. Choice first crop 4/- to 4/3 per cwt., second and third 3/3 to 3/6 and 3/9; best old meadow 2/6 to 2/9, extra 3/-; other classes 1/9 to 2/3. Demand for straw continues quiet, and sellers found it difficult to clear the fair supply around the following prices:—Wheaten baled 1/3 to 1/4 per cwt., loose 1/4 to 1/6; oaten baled 1/6 to 1/9, with a few loose loads around 1/9 to 2/-.

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HAY, STRAW, CORN and POTATO FACTORS, MARY'S LANE and GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. (Established 1813.) —(Advt.)

# LONDON METALS MARKET

## TIN SLOW—COPPER FIRMER.

TIN trade slow, and prices the turn easier, with Eastern cables unaltered. On balance official quotations were 2/6 to 5/- per ton lower for cash, but forward unchanged. Standard cash quoted £228 5/- to £228 10/-, three months £228 10/- to £228 15/-; settlement £228 10/-. Sales amounted to 65 tons. Three months at £228 12/6. English ingots quoted £228 15/-. Business was reported in the East at £231 c.i.f. COPPER firmer, while in better demand. Official quotations marked an advance of 2/6 to 3/9 per ton for cash and 2/6 forward on balance. Standard cash quoted £28 1/3 to £28 2/6, three months £28 8/9 to £28 10/-; settlement £28 2/6. 600 tons changed hands. Cash at £28, three months £28 8/9 to £28 10/-. Electros quoted £31 5/- to £31 15/-, wire bars £31 15/-, best selected £30 10/- to £31 15/-, strong sheets £58. LEAD steady, with a moderate business. 450 tons sold. Good soft foreign pig January £10 6/3, March £10 10/-; settlement £10 5/-. English quoted £12 10/-. SPELTER dull, but steadily held. 75 tons sold. February £11 16/3, March £11 17/6; settlement £11 12/6. ANTIMONY firm. English regulus spot £66, Chinese do. spot £62. December-January £58 10/-, crude do. £32 10/- per ton c.i.f. Copper sheets firmer at £42 per ton f.o.b. ALUMINIUM, QUICKSILVER and TIN PLATES unaltered. SECOND SESSION:—Tin idle. Cash buyers £228 5/- three months £228 10/-. Copper maintained. 400 tons sold. Cash quoted £28 2/6, three months sold £28 10/-. Lead, also spelter, idle and unaltered.

# CATTLE-STEALING CHARGE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

*DUNDALK, Friday.*

At Dundalk District Court to-day, John Carroll, Bridge street, and Patrick Magee, Nicholas street, were charged with stealing a bullock and a cow, belonging to James Murphy, Church street, Dundalk.

Murphy said that he left two cattle in a field at Kilcurry, near the border. He later saw the cattle in a field at Meigh, in Northern Ireland, and when he asked about them Carroll declared that he was only holding them until he got his share out of them. Since then the bullock had disappeared. The animals were valued for £22.

In cross-examination by Mr. O'Hagan, solicitor, Murphy admitted having had twelve cattle in the field, and took ten of them away one night with two other men, whose names he refused to give to the Court.

Mr. O'Hagan—Were they smugglers?

Witness—They were.

District Justice Goff returned both men for trial to the Dundalk Circuit Court, allowing bail.

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# THE AMERICAN MARKETS

## CHEERFUL FEELING IN RETAIL TRADE: STOCKS CLOSE STEADY

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

*NEW YORK, Friday.*

Apart from some selective buying, the Stock Exchange to-day moved erratically within a narrow range, with profit-taking apparent in some of the recently strong issues. The final appearance of the list indicated little alteration after a turnover of 930,000 shares. Prices were narrowly irregular at the opening. While the leading staples displayed a steadier appearance, the Stock market generally fluctuated within a limited range throughout the morning. A number of Minings, Rails, and Steels was bought, but Industrials and Utilities were slightly irregular.

In the afternoon the Railroad group responded to the official figures of freight-car loadings, which recorded a more than seasonal increase. Oil shares were adversely affected by the decision of the Californian Superior Court to the effect that the N.R.A. code of "fair competition" was illegal—at least in so far as it applies to the production of petroleum in California.

The market closed steady and with negligible change.

Wall street observers believe that stocks are going into relatively strong hands. At the same time, with no important leadership in evidence, there seems—according to the commentator's opinion—little hope of any sustained advance.

With Christmas buying in full swing, the Dun and Bradstreet Agency estimates retail sales throughout the country as being 18 to 25 per cent. above those for the corresponding period of last year.

Call money remained at 1 per cent., and the outside rate was unchanged at ½ to ¾ per cent. Prime paper was quoted at ¾ to 1 per cent. Open market discount rates were unaltered at ⅛ per cent. bid and ⅛ per cent. asked for ninety-day bank bills, and ½ per cent. bid and ⅜ per cent. asked for six months' bills. Sterling exchange opened ⅛c. higher at 4.94½, and remained at this level during the morning. The rate improved to 4.94⅝ in the afternoon, and closed ⅛c. higher, compared with the previous close at 4.94⅝. Silver was unchanged at 54⅝c.

| | Fri. Steady. | Thur. Steady. |
|---|---|---|
| Call Money | | |
| London Cables | 4.94¾ | 4.94¼ |
| London 60 days' sight | 4.93¾ | 4.93¾ |
| London Bankers' do. | 4.93¾ | 4.93¼ |
| London Com. do. | 4.93⅞ | 4.93⅜ |
| Montreal Cables | 4.89½ | 4.88½ |
| Paris Cables | 6.59¼ | 6.59⅜ |

| Eng. Parity | Stocks. | Closing Bid Fri. | Thur. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 54 1/16 | Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe | 53½ | 53⅝ |
| 88 15/16 | Do. Preferred | 88 | 89¼ |
| 14½ | Baltimore and Ohio | 14⅜ | 14⅜ |
| 11¾ | Canadian Pacific (New Stock) | 11⅝ | 11⅝ |
| 2½ | Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul | 2½ | 2¾ |
| 1¾ | Chicago and Rock Island | 1¾ | 1⅞ |
| 12⅝ | Erie Shares | 12½ | 12½ |
| 15 15/16 | Erie 1st Preferred | 15⅝ | 15¾ |
| 16 5/16 | Illinois Central | 16⅜ | 16¾ |
| 10⅝ | Lehigh Valley | 10½ | 10⅞ |
| 44 7/16 | Louisville and Nashville | 44 | 45½ |
| 1¾ | Missouri Pacific | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 21⅜ | New York Central & Hudson R. | 21⅛ | 21¼ |
| 171 5/16 | Norfolk and West Com. | 169¼ | 169½ |
| 20 3/16 | Northern Pacific Com. | 20 | 19⅞ |
| 24¼ | Pennsylvania Shares | 24 | 23¾ |
| 42 3/16 | Reading Shares | 42 | 42 |
| 17 11/16 | Southern Pacific | 17½ | 17⅝ |
| 16 5/16 | Southern Railway | 16 | 16⅛ |
| 105⅝ | Union Pacific | 105⅛ | 106 |
| 1⅝ | Wabash | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| 106⅞ | American Can (New Stock) | 105¾ | 106 |
| 36½ | American Smelting (New Stock) | 36⅜ | 36 |
| 11 | Anaconda Copper | 10⅞ | 11 |
| 15 5/16 | American Radiator | 15 | 14⅞ |
| 107 | American Tel. and Tel. | 105⅞ | 105¾ |
| 29 9/16 | Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock | 29¼ | 29½ |
| 32 9/16 | Brazil Stab. 6½%, 1957 | 32¼ | 32 |
| 22⅜ | Consolidated Gas (New York) | 22⅛ | 22¼ |
| 19 7/16 | General Electric (New Stock) | 19¼ | 19⅝ |
| 31 5/16 | General Motors (New) | 31 | 30⅞ |
| 2½ | Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs | 2½ | 2⅜ |
| 22⅞ | International Nickel | 22⅝ | 22¾ |
| 28 13/16 | Montgomery Ward | 28½ | 28¾ |
| 166¾ | National Lead | 165 | 162† |
| 12⅝ | North America Company | 12½ | 12⅛ |
| 5 7/16 | Radio Corporation | 5⅜ | 5¾ |
| 30 5/16 | Royal Dutch Petroleum | 29⅞ | 30 |
| 21½ | Shell Transport and Trading | 21¼ | 21⅛ |
| 6 11/16 | Shell Union Oil | 6⅝ | 6⅝ |
| 16 13/16 | U.S. Rubber | 16⅝ | 16¾ |
| 37½ | United States Steel Common | 37⅛ | 37⅛ |
| 83 | Do. Preferred | 82⅛ | 82¼ |
| 9⅞ | Brazilian Traction | 9¾ | 9¾ |
| 30 15/16 | Brit. American Tobacco Coupon | 30⅝ | 30⅞ |
| 4 1/16 | Hydro. Electric | 4 | 4 |
| 30 1/16 | International Pet. Canada (New) | 29¾ | 30 |
| | Silver Commercial Bars | 54⅝ | 54⅝ |
| | BONDS. | | |
| — | U.K. 5½% Bonds, 1937 | — | 114½ |
| 119⅛ | Do. Funding Loan 4% | 118 | 117⅞ |
| 107 9/16 | U.S. Treasury 3¾% Bds. '46-56 | 106 7/16 | 106⅜ |
| 39 7/16 | 7% German External Loan | 39 | 38½ |
| 105⅝ | Amer. S. Refining 5%, '47 | 104½ | 104½ |
| — | Bethlehem Steel 5%, '42 | — | 108 |
| 79 1/16 | Chile Copper 5%, '47 | 78¼ | 78¼ |

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

## MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

| Eng. Equiv. | — | Closing Bid Fri. | Thur. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 131¼ | Bell Telephone Co. of Canada | 128½ | 127¾ |
| 9 15/16 | Brazilian T.L. and P. Co. Ltd | 9¾ | 9⅞ |
| 27 13/16 | British Columbia Power "A" | 27¼ | 27 |
| 4 5/16 | Do. "B" | 4¼ | 4½ |
| 7 | Can. Car and Foundry Co. | 6⅞ | 7 |
| 14 1/16 | Do. Preferred | 13¾ | 13¾ |
| 19 7/16 | Canadian Celanese Com. | 19 | 19 |
| 120½ | Do. Do. Pref. | 118 | 115† |
| 7 9/16 | Canada Cement Co. | 7½ | 7¼ |
| 59¾ | Do. Preferred | 58½ | 58 |
| 6⅞ | Can. Indus. Alcohol Com. | 6¾ | 6¾ |
| 6⅛ | Do. "B" | 6 | 6⅛ |
| 11⅝ | Canadian Pacific Railway | 11¾ | 11½ |
| 4⅞ | Canada Steamship Preferred | 4¾ | 4⅝ |
| 7 11/16 | Cockshutt Plow Co. | 7½ | 7⅜ |
| 132¾ | Con. Mining and Smelting | 130 | 135† |
| 33 3/16 | Dominion Bridge Co., Ltd. | 32½ | 32½ |
| 103⅛ | Dominion Glass Co., Ltd. | 101 | 99† |
| 81 11/16 | Dominion Textiles Co. | 80 | 89† |
| 19 11/16 | Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines | 19¼ | 18¾ |
| 22⅞ | Inter. Nickel of Canada | 22⅜ | 22¾ |
| 4 5/16 | Massey Harris Co. | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| 30⅞ | Montreal Light Heat | 30¼ | 30 |
| 49 9/16 | Do Debs. | 48½ | 48½ |
| 31 9/16 | National Breweries Ltd. | 30⅞ | 30¾† |
| 16⅞ | National Steel Car Corp. | 16½ | 15½ |
| 188 15/16 | Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd. | 183 | 183 |
| 7 11/16 | Power Corporation of Canada | 7½ | 8 |
| 16 3/16 | Quebec Power Corporation | 15⅞ | 15⅞ |
| 16 1/16 | Shawinigan Water | 15¾ | 15½ |
| 11¾ | Southern Canada Power | 11½ | 11½ |
| 42½ | Steel Co. of Canada | 41⅝ | 41¼ |
| 203 5/16 | Bank Montreal | 201 | 200 |
| 280 15/16 | Bank Nova Scotia | 275 | 273† |
| 168½ | Can. Bank Commerce | 165 | 165 |
| 171 1/16 | Royal Bank of Canada | 167½ | 169 |
| | CURB PRICES. | | |
| 14 3/16 | Distillers Corp. Seagrams, Ltd. | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| 23¼ | Hiram Walker Gooderham | 24¾ | 24⅜ |
| 16⅝ | Imperial Oil, Ltd. | 16¼ | 16⅜ |
| 12⅜ | Imperial Tobacco Co. of Canada | 12⅛ | 12⅛† |
| 30 | International Petroleum | 29⅝ | 29¾ |
| 52⅝ | Lake Shore Mines, Ltd. | 52½ | 51 |
| 42⅛ | McIntyre Porcupine Mines | 41¼ | 40 |
| 33 11/16 | Noranda Mines, Ltd. | 33 | 32¾ |

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

## DOW JONES AVERAGES

December 14th—20 Railroads, 36.35; 30 Industrials, 100.69, and 20 Utilities, 17.94.

## NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT steady, ⅜c. to ½c. up.

| | To-day. | Prev. day |
|---|---|---|
| No. 2 Amber Durum, spot | — | — |
| No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot | — | — |
| No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot, f.o.b. New York | 92⅛ | 92½ |
| No. 2 Hard Winter, spot | 118 | 117½ |
| No. 2 Red Winter, spot | 110½ | 110 |

MAIZE firm at 1c. advance. Western No. 2 mixed spot, 104¾.

OATS firm, 1½c. dearer. White clipped f.o.b. New York, 61⅛.

RYE very steady, ⅝c. higher. No. 2 spot, 69.

BARLEY very steady at ¾c. gain. American malting c.i.f. New York No. 2, 102¼.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears were quoted at 6.80 to 7.10.

LARD barely steady, 10 points down. Prime Western steam, 12.05; Middle West, 11.90 to 12.00.

PETROLEUM steady. Mid-Continent crude, 33 to 33.9 p.c.; Baume at well, 94 cents.

Pennsylvania crude in South-West Pennsylvania pipe lines (lower price), 157 cents; ditto (higher price), 172 cents.

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 5¼; spot special extra, 5⅛; spot in tierces, 5⅝.

COTTONSEED OIL—Futures closed firm, 15 to 22 points up. Closing options—December, 9.75; January, 9.88; March, 9.99; May, 10.09.

SHELLAC—T.N., 23.

TURPENTINE—Spot 51¼, Savannah spot 46¼.

RUBBER steady. First latex thin crepe spot, 13⅜ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot 12¾ buyers, 12⅞ sellers.

SUGAR on spot closed steady and unchanged at 3.085. In futures a little liquidation in the December position, together with moderate selling in distant options by commission houses, reflected the easier undertone of the raw sugar market. Trading was quiet, with the market awaiting developments regarding the spot situation. The close was barely steady, with futures 1 point to 2 points lower. Approximate day's sales (futures)—5,000 tons.

| Closing options— | Dec. | Jan. | Mar. | May | July | Sept. | Oct. | Dec |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 1.90 | 1.74 | 1.79 | 1.85 | 1.85 | 1.90 | — | 1.93 |

COMMODITY EXCHANGE INC.

TIN quiet and unchanged. Closing options—December, 50.70; March, 50.75; May, 50.85; July, 50.95. American Standard COPPER—Futures firm at 7 to 9 points advance. Closing options—December, 6.15; January, 6.18; March, 6.29; May, 6.39; July, 6.49.

OUTSIDE MARKETS—Straits Tin steady, 10 points higher. Spot and nearby New York, 50.95. Future option—January, 50.95. Lead very steady, 10 points up. Spot New York, 3.60; spot East St. Louis, 3.45. Pig Iron steady and unchanged. Eastern Pennsylvania, Northern 2x foundry, silicon 2.25 to 2.75, delivered New York, including freight rate 21.77; Buffalo, silicon 1.75 to 2.25, delivered Boston, including freight rate 20.00.

COTTON (New York)—Spot closed steady and 5 points higher at 12.80. Cotton (New Orleans)—Spot closed 6 points higher at 12.82.

COFFEE—

| Closing options— | Dec. | Mar. | May | July | Sept |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 6.97 | 7.18 | 7.31 | 7.42 | 7.52 |

COCOA—Spot, 4 15/16. Futures closed steady, 5 points up to unchanged. Closing options—Dec. 4.70, Jan. 4.71, March 4.87, May 5.00, July 5.14, Sept. 5.27, Oct. 5.33.

## OUTSIDE U.S. MARKETS

KANSAS.—Wheat steady. Spot ¼c. and futures ⅜c. to ⅝c. up. No. 2 hard winter spot, 105½. Closing options—Dec. 102, May 99⅛.

ST. LOUIS.—Wheat firmer. Spot ½c. and futures ¾c. to 1c. higher. No. 2 red winter spot, 104½. Closing options—Dec. 101, May 101½.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat firmer. Spot ¾c. and futures ¾c. to 1c. dearer. No. 1 Northern spring spot, 113⅛. Closing options—Dec. 110⅝. May 107. Barley steadier at ¾c. advance. Closing options—Dec. 79¼. May 75⅜.

DULUTH.—Linseed steady at ½c. to ¼c. gain. Closing options—Dec. 189½. May 187. Rye firmer at ⅞c. rise. Closing option—Dec. 76⅝. Wheat firmer, 1⅜c. to 1c. higher. Closing options—Dec. 123, May 124¾.

## ARGENTINE GRAIN OPTIONS

BUENOS AIRES.

WHEAT—Feb. 6.29, March 6.37.
MAIZE—Dec. 6.44, Jan. 6.49, Feb. 6.60.
LINSEED—Feb. 11.92, March 11.99.

ROSARIO.

WHEAT—Feb. 6.30, March 6.38.
MAIZE—Jan. 6.35, Feb. 6.49.
LINSEED—Feb. 11.76, March 11.87.

## WINNIPEG GRAINS

WHEAT opened steady, but with prices ⅛c. to ¼c. down. The market early declined on a slow export business and on selling by local operators. Values then rallied on smaller clearances in the Southern hemisphere, together with the steadier tone of cables and indications of bullish weekly statistics. The rise in Chicago was also an encouraging influence, and the market closed steady, with quotations ⅜c. to ¼c. higher. Opening options—Dec. 78¼, May 83¼, July 84. Closing options—Dec. 78¾, May 83¾, July 84½. Oats steadier, ⅞c. to ⅝c. up. Closing options—Dec. 42¾, May 45, July 45⅛. Rye steadier, ⅜c. to ¾c. higher. Closing options—Dec. 59½, May 63⅜, July 64⅛. Barley firm, 1¼c. dearer. Closing options—Dec. 55⅛, May 57⅞, July 58⅛. Linseed firm at 1⅜c. up for May. Closing options—Dec. 140, May 144¾, July unquoted.

## CHICAGO MARKETS

*CHICAGO, Friday.*

WHEAT opened steady, unchanged to ⅜c. higher, and closed steady, with prices ¾c. to 1¼c. up.

| | To-day | Prev. day | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. 2 Hard Winter, spot | 109 | 108½ | |
| No. 3 Hard Winter, spot | — | — | |
| Futures—Opening options | Dec. | May | July |
| To-day | 100¼ | 101 | 94⅞ |
| Futures—Closing options— | Dec. | May | July |
| To-day | 101⅛ | 102 | 95⅞ |

MAIZE opened steady, ⅛c. up to unchanged, and closed firm at 1⅛c. to 1c. advance. Spot No. 2 mixed Western unquoted.

| | Dec. | May | July |
|---|---|---|---|
| Futures—Opening options— To-day | 91½ | 88¼ | 85¾ |
| Futures—Closing options— To-day | 92⅛ | 89¼ | 86¾ |

OATS closed steady, 1½c. to ¾c. higher.

| | Dec. | May | July |
|---|---|---|---|
| Futures—Closing options— To-day | 57⅛ | 53⅞ | 49⅛ |

RYE steady at 1⅞c. to ¾c. rise. No. 2 spot unquoted.

| | Dec. | May | July |
|---|---|---|---|
| Futures—Closing options— To-day | 80⅝ | 78¾ | 77½ |

BARLEY steady, with May ¾c. up. Futures—Closing options—Dec. unquoted, May 80, July unquoted.

PROVISIONS—Lard opened easy. The market declined on scattered selling by commission houses, and closed barely steady, with futures 7½ to 2½ points lower. Spot lost 7½ points. Prime Western steam spot, 11.32½. Closing options—Dec. 11.30, Jan. 11.32½, May 11.75, July 11.90.

BACON steady, with dry-salted bellies and fat backs generally unchanged. Fat backs, 14.25. Dry-salted bellies—Closing options—Dec. 14.75, Jan. 14.80.

HOGS closed barely steady, with light kinds 10 points down and heavy descriptions also 10 points lower. Light-weight, 4.40 to 5.30; heavy-weight, 6.00 to 6.10.

# JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES
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## GLENAGERAH HALL, GLENAGEARY.
LARGE DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH OVER 3 ACRES OF BUILDING GROUND.

This Property comprises a very fine Residence, Garden and Gate Lodge, and ground fronting Glenageary road, on which permission has been given to erect six villa residences. Drainage, water, electricity and gas services are on the road, and will be available.

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## SALE TUESDAY, 29th JANUARY,
## 2 GROSVENOR ROAD, RATHMINES.

Detached House, favourably situated, within a few doors of the corner of Rathgar road; double fronted; four good rooms on the hall floor, four bedrooms overhead, bathroom and w.c., kitchen, pantries, etc. Side entrances. Large garden at rear; plot of ground in front. Clear possession to purchaser. Held for long term, subject to £6 per annum. Clear possession to purchaser.

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## SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 18th DECEMBER,
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HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

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On View day previous from 10 to 4.

## SALE FRIDAY, 21st DECEMBER,
## HATLEY, BURLINGTON ROAD,
FURNITURE, BABY GRAND GERMAN PIANOFORTE, ETC.

Including:—Chesterfield Settees, in plush and other coverings; Couches and Easy Chairs, Gilt and other Overmantels, Gong and Stand, Walnut Bookcase and Books, Marble and other Clocks, Carpets, Teapoy, Oak Hall Chairs, Suites of Curtains, Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, Fire Sets and Gas Fires, Hall Table, Inlaid Walnut Chiffoniers, small Boudoir Grand Pianoforte, in ebonised case, by G. Adolph Ibach, Barmen, Germany; Mahogany and other Wardrobes, Toilet Tables, Mirrors, and usual Bedroom Furniture; Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Chairs and Utensils, including Gas Cooker. Also Fireproof Safe, etc.

EARLY IN JANUARY.
## 29 KENILWORTH SQUARE, RATHGAR.

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110 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN

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NEXT WEDNESDAY, 19th DECEMBER, at 1.30 p.m.,
IN PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

## 77 PERCY PLACE. (MORTGAGEES' SALE.)

Two-storey, double-fronted Residence, containing 9 apartments, gas, yard and lavatory accommodation. Recently decorated. Would make ideal Boardinghouse. Will be Sold by way of sub-lease for 800 years, subject to yearly rent of £15. Immediate possession.

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THE SALE OF THIS LOT IS UNAVOIDABLY POSTPONED TO EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR.

TO MANUFACTURERS, WHOLESALERS OR FOR STORAGE.
## PREMISES REAR OF NO. 91 HARCOURT STREET.

Above consists of 3 large stables and lofts, also two offices, store and loft. Boiler room, adaptable for additional space. There are two entrances, one from Harcourt street, the other from Stephen's Green. Part held for 47 years from 1925, and part for 100 years from 1925, at £117 per annum.

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On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 19th DECEMBER, at 12 o'c.,
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Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees. On View day previous.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 20th DECEMBER, at 12 o'c.,
## AT 2 NOVARA TERRACE, BRAY.

SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, H.M.V. CABINET GRAMAPHONE, ALL-MAINS WIRELESS SET (AS NEW), ETC.

On View morning of Sale. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

**H. J. BYRNE, F.A.I., P.A.S.I.,**
AUCTIONEER, VALUER and CHARTERED SURVEYOR,
4 MAIN STREET, BRAY.
'PHONE: BRAY 113.

MRS. I. G. MECREDY, DECD.
## SALE OF FAMILY RESIDENCE,
WITH VACANT POSSESSION, AND VALUABLE GROUND RENTS.

I HAVE been instructed by the Executors of the above to SELL BY AUCTION, on MONDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1934, at JURY'S HOTEL, DAME STREET, DUBLIN, AT 2.30 P.M.—

The House and Premises known as MONTE VISTA, KNOCKNACREE ROAD, DALKEY, standing on about 2 acres, held under lease at the yearly rent of £39 1s. 0d. Portion of the Property was sub-let under lease from 1844 for 300 years at the yearly rent of £8 16s. 0d., and another portion was sub-let under lease from 1843 at the yearly rent of £32 4s. 6d. There is also a Plot of Ground of about 1 acre, held in Fee-Simple, included in the Grounds of Monte Vista House.

MONTE VISTA HOUSE contains 4 reception rooms, 9 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms (h. and c.), 3 w.c.'s, kitchen, pantries, offices, etc., and good garage accommodation.

Portion of the House could be let as a separate Residence, if desired, and was formerly let as such at a yearly rent of £72 0s. 0d.

The House has recently become unoccupied, and is in charge of a caretaker, who can show intending purchasers the Premises.

The House is situated on Dalkey Hill, with magnificent views of Dublin Bay and Kingstown Harbour. The grounds are tastefully laid out, with good tennis ground and greenhouse, and are 5 minutes' walk from Dalkey Station.

Conditions of Sale can be seen at the Offices of Messrs. T. T. MECREDY & SON, Solicitors, 91 Merrion square, Dublin.

**G. H. LENNON, M.I.A.A.,**
AUCTIONEER, 29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

Re DOCTOR M. C. STAUNTON, Deceased.
## IMPORTANT FURNITURE AUCTION,
## AT 22 NORTH FREDERICK STREET,
On TUESDAY NEXT, 18th DECEMBER,
COMMENCING 11 a.m.,
THE ENTIRE HIGH-CLASS
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AT THE SAME TIME WILL BE OFFERED:—THE ENTIRE SURGICAL EQUIPMENT, INSTRUMENTS, AND CONTENTS OF THE EXTENSIVE MEDICAL LIBRARY.

ADMISSION TO SALE AND VIEW, 1/-. On View Monday, 17th December, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

**HENRY CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A.,**
AUCTIONEER, 15 D'OLIER STREET, DUBLIN.

## FURNITURE SALE,
AT "GAINSBORO' HOUSE" PROPERTY SALEROOMS,
24 SUFFOLK STREET,
THURSDAY NEXT, 20th DECEMBER, at 12 noon

WE WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at our Salerooms as above, a RESIDUE OF ATTRACTIVE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, chiefly comprising:—Mahogany Sideboard, with mirror back; Oak Hall Suite, Chippendale style Mahogany Diningroom Suite (practically new), Overmantels, French Clock Suite, H.M.V. Cabinet Gramaphone, 11-stop D. Knee-swell Organ, in walnut case; Easy Chairs, Couches, Beds and Bedding, Duchesse Walnut Pair, 4' Walnut Wardrobe, Chesterfield Couch, Plated Ware, Dessert Service, Stair Carpeting, Lino, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, and other Miscellaneous Effects.

On View day preceding Sale. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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## 3 RICHMOND HILL, MONKSTOWN.
(5 MINUTES' MONKSTOWN CHURCH, 'BUS AND TRAM STOP.)
ANTIQUE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

Comprising briefly as follows:—Sheraton Bureau and Bookcase, 3-piece Chesterfield Suite, Inlaid Mahogany Table, Gilt Oval-frame Mirror, Ebonised and Gilt Mantel Mirrors, Water Colours, Oil Paintings and Engravings, Coloured Prints, etc.; Venetian and Bohemian Glass Vases, Doulton Ware; quantity of Books, Pierced Brass Fenders, Art Silk and Net Curtains, 2 Mahogany Pedestal Sideboards, Mahogany Screw Dining Table, Set of 6 Mahogany-frame Diningroom Chairs, Rosewood Sofa Table, first quality Art Axminster Drawingroom Carpet, and other Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpeting and Rugs. BEDROOM FURNITURE:—Inlaid Mahogany and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, ditto Bedsteads, Mahogany and Satin Walnut Chests of Drawers, etc. BED AND TABLE LINEN; Toilet Ware, Bentwood Chairs, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Richmond "Bungalow" New World Range (Gas), in porcelain enamel, with "Regulo" control; sundry items of Plated Ware, Table Glass and China, including Worcester, Spode, Ironstone and Japanese Tea and Breakfast Sets; Dinner Service, etc.; Lawn Mower, Garden Tools and other miscellaneous items.

On View To-day (Saturday), 10 to 5 o'c. Admission to View and Sale by Ticket, 1/-. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

TUESDAY, 1st JANUARY, at 12 o'c.,
## 28 EARLSFORT TERRACE,
HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
(FULL DETAILS FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.)

OUR FIRST PROPERTY SALE IN THE NEW YEAR, ON 10th JANUARY, WILL INCLUDE:—

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**28 ADELAIDE ROAD.** Well built. Possession.
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Excellent Premises, close to the city, Let to weekly and monthly tenants, to produce a gross income of £323 2/- per annum, which, deducting head rent and taxes, leaves a NET PROFIT RENT OF £115 PER ANNUM.

Held for 35 years from the 1st June, 1925, subject to £150 per annum. P.L. Val. £72.

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H. B. BURTON and SON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sole, 43 Dame street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 19th DECEMBER, at 12 o'c.,
## 127 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

We are instructed to SELL THE ENTIRE FURNITURE, comprising:—Mahog. Dining Table, Pedestal Writing Desk, Walnut Sideboard, 4 Walnut-frame Dining Chairs, Walnut Easy Chairs, Presentation Marble Clock, Easy and Occasional Chairs, Window Seat, Axminster Carpets and Rugs, Miscellaneous lot of Plated Ware, Decorative China and Glass, Walnut Hall Stand, Hall Table, Stair Carpeting, Book Shelves, and Miscellaneous lot of Books, Walnut Overmantel Mirrors, Bentwood Chairs, Card Tables, Brass-mounted and Oak Single and Double Bedsteads, Wire, Woven and Hair Mattresses; Walnut Bedroom Suites, Painted Bedroom Suites, Lino, Brass Fenders, Coal Vases, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Maid's room Furniture, and Outdoor Effects.

On View Morning of Sale from 10 to 12 o'clock.

**THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., Ltd.**
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

WEDNESDAY NEXT 19th DEC.
## 26 LOWER BAGGOT STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE, CARPETS, BOOKS, AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, comprising, briefly:—Set of 6. Mahy. Dining Chairs, Table and Dumb Waiter; Mahy. Pedestal Writing Desk, Chesterfield Couch, Divan, Easy and Inlaid Mahy Occasional Chairs; Wireless Set and Loud Speaker, Mahy Record Cabinet, Gilt and Mahy. O'mantels, Open Bookcase, BOOKS, Hallstand and Table; Brass Log Box, Gas Fire, Fenders, Linos, Curtains, Clocks, Pictures, Glass, China, Axminster Room and Stair Carpets and Rugs, Mahy. Wardrobe, Chests Drawers, Dress Tables, Washstands Oak Bedroom Suite, Brass and other Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, Kitchen Tables, Presses, Gas Stove, Tools, Ladder, etc. On View morning of Sale, 10 till 12. Sale Wednesday next at 12 sharp. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
## EXECUTORS' SALE OF FOUR SMALL HOLDINGS,
HAZELHATCH, CO. DUBLIN.

WE are instructed by the Executors of the late G. Colclough, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, on an early date, the following—Lot 1—Lands of Commons, known as Holmes' Field, 5a. 2r. 38p., Statute measure. Lot 2—Lands of Commons, known as Devitt's Field, 8a. 1r. 27p., Statute. Lot 3—Lands of Loughtown, known as Brien's, 16a. 3r. 25p., Statute. Lot 4—Lands of Coolscudden, known as Gollierstown, 12a. 3r. 26p., Statute. Full particulars in later advertisements.

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TUESDAY NEXT, DEC. 18th, at 3 o'clock, for Mrs. E. M. McCormack—At CLONMAHON, SUMMERHILL, CO. MEATH, 100 Acres choice Feeding Lands, in seven divisions.

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LETTING of 90 Acres Prime Grazing Lands, with good keep, in suitable divisions, by Public Auction, WEDNESDAY NEXT, 19th DECEMBER, at 3.30 o'clock, for the Reps. of the late Mrs. Geraghty. These lands are well sheltered, watered, fenced, and herded.

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ORANSTOWN, DUNBOYNE, CO. MEATH.
## RESIDENTIAL FARM FOR SALE.

WE have received instructions from the Representatives of Ml. Quinn, Deceased, to Sell by Public Auction on THURSDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 20th, 1934 at 1 o'clock, at our Salerooms, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN, the above desirable holding, particulars as follows:—

The Farm contains 151a. 2r. 39p., Statute measure, or thereabouts, first-class fattening land; held subject to the revised annuity of £89 8/10.

The Dwelling-house is two-storey, stone-built, containing sittingroom, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, etc. The out-offices comprise 5 loose boxes, 2 byres (to tie 12 cows), cart-shed, grain loft. P.L.V. on land, £161; on buildings, £5.

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DISPERSAL SALE OF
## HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
AT ST. PATRICK'S, MONKSTOWN.
TUESDAY, DEC. 18, 1934,
AT 12 NOON.

JAMES J. ROONEY & CO., LTD., have been favoured with instructions by the representatives of the Very Rev. Canon Fennelly (deceased), TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION the entire Household Furniture and Effects as follows:—Mahogany Telescopic Dining Tables, 16ft., 15ft. 3ins., 12ft., 10ft.; Oak Dining Table in 2 parts, 10ft., Sideboard, Dining Wagon, elaborate Mahogany Bookcases, huge quantity of Books, many by famous writers; combined Desk and Bookcase, with drawers; Dumb Waiter with Cabinet, Oak Hall Stand, Oak Hall Table, Cabinet Sideboard Overmantels, Mantelpiece Clock, Carpets (18½ft. x 12, 12½ x 10, 11 x 7, 14 x 11, 15 x 11 14 x 12, 15 x 10½), Stair Carpet (40ft.) and Rods, Dinner Set, China Tea Sets, 3 doz. Dinner Knives and Forks, Tea and Fruit Knives, Cases of Carvers, Spoons, Dishes and Covers, Cut Glass Decanters, Miscellaneous Glass Ware, Wine Cruet, Electro Plate Salver, Drawingroom, Diningroom, Bedroom Suites, Mahogany Chairs and Arm Chairs, plush and leather covered; Porterie Curtains for doors, and fittings; Napoleon Overmantel, Brass-mounted Fenders, Curbs and Irons; polished Octagonal Table, Inlaid Linoleum, Beds and Bedding, Toilet Ware, Linen, Table Cloths, Chenille and Plush Table Covers, Rugs, Chenille and Lace Curtains, Carpet Hoover, complete; Kitchen Utensils, Garden Tools, etc., etc.

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Tenders, endorsed: "Sewer Extension, St. Canice's Terrace, Santry," and addressed to the Presiding Chairman, will be received by the undersigned, up to 12 noon, on 8th January, 1935.

Solvent security in two persons, or the bond of an approved Insurance Company, for the due performance of the work will be required.

The Contractor whose Tender is accepted must put the work in hands within one month from the date of acceptance of Tender.

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